

# Har Homa bulldozing faces delay

#### By DAVID MAK( )VSKY

There are indication is that bulldozers will not begir I digging at Jerusalem's Har Hom a this week, though surveyors will begin work in the area and the plaving of an access road will begin on Tuesday, cahinet-level sources s aid.

The decision to delay / earthwork on Har Homa, which I Palestinians have said could trigge r a hostile reaction, is apparently not due to political factors but tc ) technical difficulties. The source is said the hulldozers are likely to 1 regin work next week.

Despite Palestinian threats of potential violence, nc) one at Friday's cahinet meeting called for the project to be delayed. Ministers felt that if the project is stopped, Israel would i face pressure from Palestinians oin a whole range of issues.

During the course of the meet-ing, sources said, Genera | Security Service head Ami Aya lon said Palestinian violence is ( lefinitely possible once constructio a begins, but said the GSS has no 'warnings about anything specific. Defense Minister

Mordechai said he does not believe there will be violence. Nonetheless, the cabinet approved plans for military reinforcements in the event of emergency.

At the Friday meeting, both Ayalon and OC Intelligence Maj.-Gen. Moshe Ya'alon said that Palestinian Authority Chairman Yasser Arafat is straddling the fence on the issue of violence: He has not called for violence, but he has not called on the Palestinians to refrain from it, either.

According to the intelligence officials, Arafat feels this stance gives him the most maneuvering room. But they said they are convinced that if Arafat does not want

Ayalon praised Arafat for preventing a "few" terror attacks recently, but did not give details. At the same time, Ayalon voiced concern about increased political contacts betweeo Arafat and members of the Palestinian

ing, participants observed a moment of silence for the seven schoolgirls who were killed at Yitzhak Naharayim.

# **Arafat: Peace** process near breakdown Gaza for um uneventful



President Ezer Weizman is wheeled into Jerusalem's Hadassah-University Hospital in Ein Kerem

# Hussein on condolence visit today

### By DAVID MAKOVSKY and news agencies

Jordan's King Hussein is to make a nine-hour visit here today, which will include condolence calls on the families of the seven schoolgirls who were shot dead by a Jordanian soldier in Naharayim on Thursday.

Hussein will also hold talks in Jerusalem with Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu and President Ezer Weizman. The last time Hussein was in Jerusalem was for prime minister Yitzhak Rabin's funeral in November 1995.

Netanyahu and Hussein are expected to meet alone for one bour this afternooo at the Prime Minister's Office, Netanyahu's aides said.

There was hope in Jerusalem last night that the visit, while bumanitarian in nature, would also enable both men to address their differences and improve bilateral ties. Early last week Hussein sent Netanyahu a harsh letter charging that the premier no longer seemed committed to peace.

"Israel and Jordan have bad long-term mutual interests, which continue despite the ups and downs in the peace process," said Netanyahu foreign policy adviser Dore Gold. "It is necessary to figure out how to protect this relationship from the inevitable difficulties as the issues of the negotiations become more difficult." Jordanian officials declined to comment last night. The monarch, who will be accompanied by two of his grown children, Prince Faisal and Princess Aisha, and the head of the royal court, Awn Kahasawneh, will arrive at Ben-Gurion Airport around noon. Hussein will be greeted by Netanyahu, who will accompany the king throughout his stay.

(AP)

Jerusalem's Ein Kerem section to visit a girl pupil and teacher wounded in the attack, and to see Weizman, who underwent surgery on Friday after a fall. After visiting Weizman, Hussein and Netanyahu are to go to the premier's office and then the King David Hotel, where they will hold joint press conference.

It is expected that Hussein will condemn Israel's plans to move ahead on the construction of

# **Fuerst school hopes for** royal visit, Page 2

Jewish housing in Jerusalem's Har Homa.

Afterwards, the two leaders are to have what officials characterize as a working dinner and be joined by several members of the cabinet. The visit is being called "Operation Warm Feeling." Some 3,000 policemen are to be deployed to protect Hussein. Traffic is expected to be snarled in Jerusalem for much of the day, and traffic oo the Tel Aviv-Jerusalem highway will be forbidden around the times of the king's arrival and departure.

violence, it will not occur.

opposition. At the start of the cabinet meet-

# By JON IMMANUEL

Palestinian Authority Chairman Binyamin Netanyahu "at the Yasser Arafat chaired a foru m of eleventh hour," as Hussein's foreign

diplomats in Gaza yesterday aimed at "saving the peace process" in the face of actions hy lsrael which, he said, will destroy it. the In growing atmosphere of tension underlined the hy slaughter of seven Beit Shemesh

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Thursday Palestinian Authority Chairman Yasser Arafa t adjusts his glasses Jordanian while address ing foreign diplomats soldier. in his Gaza of fice yesterday. (Reuter) Arafat said

he is opposed to terrorism. But, he Abington, and Russia by its addad was we have already sa id, ambassador to the PA. Alexei added, "as we have already sa id, while peace and terrorism can not go hand in hand, nor can peace and settlements." He could not, he said, predict the actions of the Palestinian people.

Arafat's aides were more bluint. "I think the peace process is finished with this government," FA cabinet secretary Ahmed Abdel-Rahman said. "The Israeli gover nment is ignoring its own securi ty services' warnings of violence if they send bulldozers to Har Hom a. Netanyahu's statements, his mi nisters' statements, destroy peace and if there is no peace there will be war."

Abdel-Rahman said he hopes today's condolence visit by King



heart in Prime Minister intervention helped seal an agreement on Hebron two months ago. Diplomats from the US, Russia, h

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Aviv envoy, Egypt sent Deputy Foreign Minister Badr Hamam

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Weizman satisfactory after hip surgery By BATSHEVA TSUR and JUDY SIEGEL e

on Friday, after breaking his wrist and hip while getting out of a helicopter.

President Ezer Weizman was in satisfactory condition at Hadassah-University Hospital in Jerusalem's Ein Kerem last night, after undergoing an operation on Friday for a fractured left hip and arm. He is expected to be released on Wednesday. Jordan's King Hussein is due to visit the president

at the hospital this afternoon. meeting in Arafat's Weizman tripped Friday as he descended from the office. The helicopter which took him hack to his Caesarea home from Poriya Hospital near Tiberias, where be

visited some of the schoolgirls wounded in the Jerusalem Naharayim massacre. "I believe my coat caught in something," re pre senied

Weizman told reporters. "I tried to hreak the fall and landed on my left side." US was represented by "It must be contagious," Weizman joked, noting that US President Bill Clinton had torn a tendon m Consul-General his right knee at approximately the same time and Edward that Sara Netanyahu, the prime minister's wife, had twisted her ankle.

The president was taken immediately to the nearby Hillel Yoffe Hospital in Hadera, accompanied by his wife, Reuma, but shortly afterwards be was

transferred hy helicopter to Hadassah in order to be closer to his office in Jerusalem.

Orthopedists at Hadassah said they hope Weizman can be discharged later this week. On Friday, he underwent a two-hour operation under spinal anesthetic to set his left thigh bone.

Dr. Iri Leibergal, a senior orthopedist who performed the surgery along with department head Prof. David Segal, affixed the fractured hone together with metal pins. They did not need to change the hip joint. The limh was bandaged, and because of the pins, the president did not need a cast. He was already able to step down on his left leg yesterday.

Surgery was not needed on the fractured bone in his left hand, which was put in a cast, Leibergal said.

After a few days' recovery in the hospital, Weizman will need a few weeks' rest, and although his mobility will be limited during this time, he will be able to get around with a walker or cane.

Last night, he was visited by Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu, Knesset Speaker Dan Tichoo, Defense Minister Yitzhak Mordechai, and Health Minister Yehoshua Matza.

# **February CPI jumps 1.2%**

during the same period last year.

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The fruit and vegetables index

rose 12.3%, which the CBS put

down to seasonal factors. Fresh

vegetables became more expen-

sive by 26.4% and fresh fruits by

5.7%. Eggplant rose in price hy

#### By DAVID HARRIS

Arafat said the government had reneged on agreements with the The consumer price index shot previous Labor government conup by 1.2 percent last month, the Central and Bureau of Statistics Jerusalem, with the decision to announced Friday. It is the first huild on Har Homa the most blatime the index has risen by more than 1% since May 1996. The key factors were rises in He noted that the Labor govern-

housing prices and a 12.3% increase in the cost of fruits and vegetables. While the general rise in prices

is considerably higher than expected. Central Bureau of stood how serious construction Netanyahu's plan, Arafat said. Statistics spokesman David Neumann warned against undue

**Continued on Page 4** alarm. The January CPI was up

92.9%, zucchini by 66.9% and cucumbers by 57.1%. Frozen products increased by far smaller only 0.4%, making a combined 1.6% increase for the first two months. This, Neumann said, must be compared to the 1.8% increase amounts.

Food prices, excluding fruit and vegetables, rose by 0.8%: ice cream was up 3.6%; poultry, Housing prices rose by an overall 1.4%, largely because of the 1.8% increase in the dollar exchange rate. The cost of pur-2.9%; and confectioneries, 1.6% Household furniture and equipment increased by 1.2%. Health chasing a property rose some care became more expensive hy 0.5%

On the other hand, clothing and footwear prices fell 3.5% in February, mainly due to end-ofseason sales. Clothing was 3.7% cheaper, with footwear down 2.6%.

According to the schedule issued last night, Hussein is to visit the bereaved families in Beit Shemesh, where he is expected to spend close to three hours. Afterwards, he is to proceed to

Hadassah-University Hospital in

Brig.-Gen. (res.) Yigal Pressler, until recently the prime minister's adviser on terrorism, was named Friday by Education Minister Zevulun Hammer to head the ministry's inquiry into the Naharayim massacre. Others on the committee are former ministry directorgeneral Dr. Dan Sharon and Aharon Bletchinksy, director of the ministry's Jerusalem district. The Pressler Commission is to examine various aspects of the illfated excursion that are connected with the ministry, from the approval of its original route up to the attack on the schoolgirls. In Jordan, meanwhile, King Hussein on Friday launched an inquiry into the attacker's motives, appointing Mohammed Kailani, a veteran security chief

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LIBI The Fund for **Strengthening Israel's Defense** 

Esterina Giron recently died at the age of 87, leaving 5 million shekels to the State of Israel. Most of the sum went to the LIBI Fund, for the building of a Center for the Study of Hebrew for immigrant soldiers, located at the Education Corps' base in the Galilee. The Center is named for her and her late husband, Israel Giron,

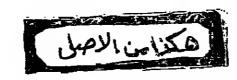
Esterina Giron and her husband, who came to live in Israel in 1970, left no children.



The above photo was taken at the dedication caremony of the center, From left to right: Lieut.-Col. Devorah Rinot, Libi Fund; the Administrator-General, Attn. Shmuel Tzur; Col. Meir Blayer; Commander of the LIBI Fund; Chief Education and Youth Corpe Officer, Brig.-Gen. Avraham Asahel; Shoshaha Kaben of the Administrator-General's Office.

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# Our beloved

# **DALIAH MOST**

has left us.

The funeral will take place at Kiryat Shaul Cemetery today, Sunday, March 16, 1997 at 3 p.m.

The family is sitting shiva at home, Rav Ashi 8, Neveh Avivim.

Burton Most, Oren and Tova Most, Tamar and Yossi Unger Netta, Omer, Carmei, Elinore, Guy

# Our beloved

# **GUNTHER SACHS**

is no longer with us.

Wife: Gerda Sachs Daughters: Ruthy and Reuven Bronstein and family. Nurlt and Eli Nitzan and family Sister: Dalia Grossman and family

For funeral details call: 02-566-5183, 02-563-1980



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# Prof. KALMAN YA'ACOV MANN

former director-general of Hadassah Medical Organization pioneer of helath care administration and public health in Israel visionary and pragmatist,

and extends heartfelt condolences to the family. The funeral will leave from the Hadassah-University Hospital on Mt. Scopus for Sanhedria Cemetery today, Sunday, March 16, at 2 p.m.

Fuerst school waits for king

By ELLI WOHLGELERNTER

If Kiog Hussein visits the AMIT Fnerst school in Beit Shemesh today, he will he respectfully welcomed hy the administratioo; hut will he be rejected by the parents, by the students?

"I hope oot, I hope not," said Motti Farber, principal of the school's junior high school grades, hut added: "I don't want to speak for people who have suffered. I don't have the right to tell anyhody not to be angry." Farber said that while in his

view, "I'm not sure it's not a little soon" for Hussein to make

By DAVID RUDGE

Lehanese Army targets.

Fighting continued in the security zone over the weekend as Hizhullah kept up the pres-sure of attacks on IDF and South

There were oo casnalties among IDF or SLA troops in the

iocidents, which occurred on

Friday afternoon in the zone's

In one of the long-range clash-

es, gunmen opened fire with

anti-tank missiles on an IDF

tank in the Talousa region, in the

Hizbullah claimed in a state-

ment issued in Beirut that one of

its newly revealed tank sniper

units had hit an IDF tank with a

missile during the fighting.

There was no damage to the vehicle, however, and the mem-

gunmen fired mortars at SLA

positions nearby, while launch-

ing a separate long-range mortar attack on another SLA outpost in

the Rashaf region, in the zone's

Reports from the zonc said no

damage was caused in any of the

attacks and IDF and SLA gun-

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bers of its crew were unhurt. Simultaneously, Hizbullah

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appreciate the gesture he's trying to make." For Farber, any kind gesture is

welcome.

Since Thursday, he has been living with the hell of a school and community in pain and confusion, and he's been trying to help soothe the suffering felt hy ечегуоде.

At the school on Friday classes were optional, hut many students came anyway, to talk to their friends, their classmates, their teachers.

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"There was no extreme response," Farber said. "The kids were quiet, very respectful,

the visit, "I understand and somewhat introverted. This isn't the stage where it's going to come out . . . I don't know when

it's going to come out." He said some of the pupils got emotional, hut no one needed medical care, and a hackup staff of psychologists and social workers were there on standhy. The eighth-grade girls class had psychologist talking to them

all morning. "A few kids were crying, but it wasn't hysterical, it was very quiet, an inner thing, not thousands of kids crying. Just sort of each one helping the other, being there for when someone needed them - if a kid was cry-

ing, to take the m aside and give them a drink." The school started letting the

pupils go horne at 11 a.m. as they wanted.

Some hung a round. "After we were in class, during the break they lit cand les in the main entrance, and wrote things on the walls," sai d Farber, 40, who has been at the school for 15 years, the las t seven as middle school princip al.

Today, he s aid, "We're going a to try and keep them in class according to the normal sched ule, hut we'll be flexible, of course. Righ t now we're pustion trying to be there for them."

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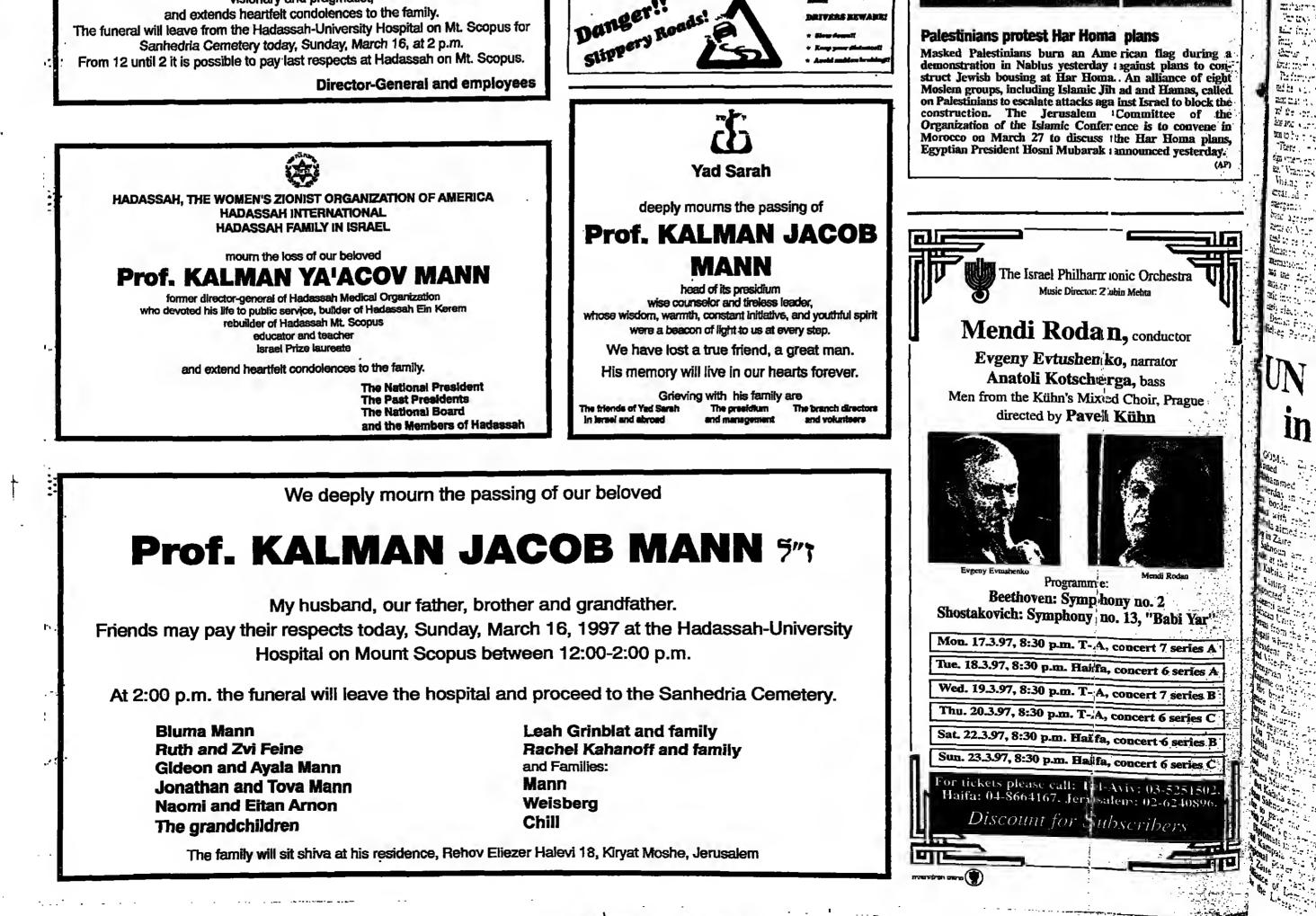
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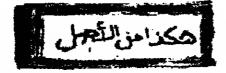


Palestinians protest Har Homa plans

Masked Palestinians burn an Ame rican flag during a



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US Marines guard the US embassy in Tirana, Albania, yesterday during the evacuation of Americans from the city.

# **OSCE:** Send foreign troops to Albania

VIENNA (Reuter) Ambassadnrs nf Enrope's top security body agreed yesterday to give broad support to sending foreign troops to Albania to halt anarchy in the Balkan state.

The 54-nation Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) backed a proposal by the OSCE's mediatar in Albania Franz Vranitzky to ask foreign governments to send forces, but nn individual state gave an explicit commitment to do so.

"If the international community does not accept this task today, it will have to handle it tomorrow. but the task will be bigger ... and the bill will be more expensive." said ambassador Lars Vissing of Denmark, which bolds the current chairmansbip of the OSCE. Vranitzky beld talks aboard an

Union fnreign ministers at a meeting in the Dutch town of Apeldoorn yesterday that he believed Albanian President Sali Berisha shuld step down to help end the current crisis.

The rebels accuse Berisha of corruption and of failing to put a stop to bogus pyramid schemes, in which many citizens poured their life savings. Their collapse ignited widespread unrest which has in the past two weeks deteriorated into chaos and anarchy.

Albanian ambassador to the OSCE Zef Mazi told reporters after the emergency session that the organization had an important role to play in ending the mayhem in Albania, but stressed it had no say in whether or not Berisha should resign.

He said he was encouraged by the amnunt of support shown by Italian frigate in the Adriatic nn the OSCE fnr some form of for-Friday with leaders of the eign intervention in Albania.



#### News agencies

TIRANA, Albania - Hene Begiri said she cried as she left Albania, and like other Americans lifted to safety by US helicopters this weekend was stunned at how quickly the Balkan country had disintegrated.

The 26-year-old Beqiri had been working for Albanian television. With gunmen roaming the streets in recent days, she was taken in for protection by her neighbors, who escorted her to the US embassy to await the Chinook helicopters.

"I was crying. I am afraid for the people I left there," Beqiri said. The ammunition has to run out sooner or later."

Among those evacuated was a South African winnan shot in the shoulder when she was near the US embassy, Navy Cmdr. Henry Golden said.

came under fire from the ground, said Marine Col. Emerson Gardner, commander of the operation. A Cobra helicopter gunship returned fire, officers said.

was hit by gunfire early Friday during an evacuation mission, but nn one aboard was injured, the Defense Ministry said in Rome. Italian aviators had reported gunfire Thursday night during the height of Italy's evacuation of around 1,000 foreign nationals.

An Italian AB-212 helicapter

frigate evacuating Chinese and Iranian diplomats. Pnlice fired bundreds of waraing shnts into the air in an unsuccessful bid to huld the frenzied crowd back. The unarmed civil-

police and finally evaded the security cordon by climbing over, around and through a three-meter high wall at the port. By the time the stampede arrived the ship was steaming away.

ing going on," said Gardner. The chaos was even more

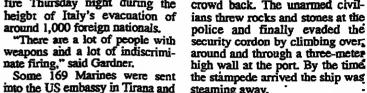
intense in the port of Durres,

where thousands of Albanians

We have two options, either we take guns and kill these bastard police, or we get a boat out of here," one young Albanian told reporters.

The US evacuation in Tirana

broke through police ranks yester-day in a desperate, failed attempt to escape the country on a Greek



a compound where diplomats live. The Nassau, a helicopter carrier, was part of a Marine amphibious unit stationed in the Adriatic. "It's a bit unnerving all this fir-



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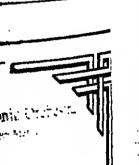
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forces from tnwns in the south. The former Austrian chancellor said be was told by the government that it could no lnnger cnntrol the spreading armed rebellion and wanted outside interventinn to belp restore nrder. "There is nn alternative (to foreign interventinn) as far as I can see," Vranitzky said on Friday. Vissing thld reporters that

ambassadors at yesterday's

emergency session expressed

broad agreement on three elements of Vranitzky's report - the

need to restnre order with a sta-

bilization force; the need for

international financial support;

and the deployment of OSCE

missions tn help rebnild democ-

ratic institutions and prepare for

Danish Foreign Minister Niels

early elections.

Albanian government and rebel "There was a lot of political readiness, sympathy and solidarity expressed in the meeting this morning," Mazi said.

Vissing said he would bold meetings over the next few days with any potential contributors to Vranitzky's proposals and work closely with the EU and the Cnuncil nf Europe to reach a speedy decision.

We're working nn this as fast as possible. It is a matter of extreme urgency," he said. According to Vranitzky's report, Berisha, all political parties and rebel committees share the same goal - the restoration of nrder and democracy and the

bolding nf fresh elections. But one sticking point was likely to be Berisha's tenure of power. Rebel committees insist Berisha shnuld go before there is Helveg Petersen told European any chance of a return to peace.



UN envoy arrives in rebel Zaire

GOMA, Zaire (Renter) -United Natinns envny Mnbammed Sahnnnn arrived yesterday in the rebel-held east-ern border town nf Gnma for talks with rebel leader Laurent Kabila aimed at ending the fighting in Zaire.

Sahnnun arrived in a motorcade at the lakeside palace used by Kabila. He made no comment to waiting reporters. Sahnnun, appointed by the UN Security Council and the Organization of African Unity (OAU), arrived in Goma from the Rwandan capital Kigali where he held talks with President Pasteur Bizimungu and Vice-President and military strongman Major-General Paul Kagame on the fighting in Zaire. His brief involves brokering peace in Zaire, Africa's third largest country, and the Great Lakes region of Central Africa. On Thursday, Sahnoun met Kabila in Uganda at talks chaired by Ugandan President

and regional powerbroker Yoweri Museveni. But Kabila again refused pleas from Sahnoun to accept a ceasefire to pave the way for talks

with Zaire's government. Diplomats in the Ugandan capital Kampala said Museveni, a regional power broker accused by Zaire of backing Kabila's Alliance of Democratic Forces for the Liberation of CongnZaire, facilitated the face-to-face meeting but did not take sides. Kabila, whose forces are advancing on Zaire's thirdlargest city nf Kisangani, has accepted a UN peace plan as a basis for talks but rejected its call for a ceasefire.

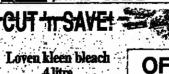
The rebels say they want to overthrow Zaire's President Mnbntu Sese Seko, who had surgery for prostate cancer last August and is now resting in France.

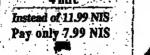
Kabila's rebels have made significant gains and a regional military source said yesterday they were advancing on the town of Pweto on Lake Tanganyika in the mineral-rich Shaba province. Kisangani, its jungle setting immortalized in Joseph Conrad's bleak novel Heart of Darkness, is a strategic prize for the rebels.

The nerve center of army operations in the warzone, it is perched strategically at the head a major navigable stretch of the mighty Zaire River that flows west from there to the capital Kinshasa - some 1,500 km downstream.

A lack of passable roads through the sprawling Central African nation's jungle and bush makes the Zaire River and its many tributaries the principal arteries for internal and external trade.













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in brief

# No trace of survivors in Iran crash

TEHRAN (AP) - Search teams found parts of an Iranian military cargo plane that crashed in northeastern Iran, but located no trace of the 86 passengers and crew, Iranian radio said yesterday. It said teams from the army and Red Crescent, the Islamic equivalent of the Red Cross, were continuing to search in the mountainous area despite snow storms and sub-zero temperatures.

The plane was carrying soldiers and their families wheo it crashed Thursday 75 kilometers west of Mashhad.

The US-made C-130 lost contact with the control tower at Mashhad one bour after taking off for Mashhad from Dezful in western Ahvaz province. The pilot had reported technical diffi-culues. Iranian aviation officials said Friday that all 26 passengers and crew were presumed dead.

## Thou shalt steal from supermarkets

LONDON (AP) - A Church of England vicar created a stir yesterday by suggesting it was no sin to shoplift - as long as the victim is a big supermarket.

"Jesus said 'Love your neighbor.' He didn't say 'Love Marks and Spencers," the Rev. John Papworth said on a BBC radio show. Papworth drew a distinction between stealing from individuals or small merchants - which he says is wrong - and stealing from giant retailing corporations, whom he says have run little stores out of business and harm local communities.

"With these institutions, all you are confronted with are these boardroom barons sitting round the boardroom plotting how to take the maximum amount of money out of people's pockets for the minimum in return," Papworth said.

The Church of England distanced itself from Papworth.

## New AIDS drugs available for children

WASHINGTON (Reuter) - Two AIDS drugs were approved for use by childreo on Friday, the first specific drug for pedi-atric AIDS in the United States, federal health officials said. The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) said it had approved Agouron Pharmaceutical's oelfinavir, to be sold under the brand oame Viracept. It was approved for both adults and children.

The FDA also gave Abbott Laboratories' ritonavir, sold under the brand oame Norvir, approval for pediatric use. It has been available to adults for about a year.

## Egypt police identify massacre suspects

CAIRO (Renter) - Egyptian police suspect three fugitive Moslem militants active in the south massacred 13 people after rampaging through a southern hamlet this week, security sources said yesterday. The sources identified the men as Anwar Hamed, Abdel Razek Atta and Mahmoud el-Farshouti wanted members of the militant Gama'a al-Islamiya (Islamic Group). The goverment newspaper Al-Ahram published photographs of Hamed and Farshouti.

On Thursday, three suspected militants gunned down residents of Ezbet Dawoud village. Eight were identified by police as Coptic Christians, one of the groups targeted by the Gama'a in its campaign to topple the government. Hours later they shot dead a woman and wounded seven others after spraying a Cairo-bound train with bullets when it stopped at Nag Hammadi, about 450 km south of the capital.

## Russian jailed for trading in human flesh

MOSCOW (Reuter) - A Russian court sentenced a murderer who traded pieces of his victim's flesh as ordinary meat to eight years in prison yesterday.

The man, Anatoly Dolbyshev, from the town of Berezniki in the Urals region of Perm, was found guilty of stabbing to death a friend of his mother's in a fight. Dolbyshev, who bad several envirtione pieces of the human flesh to unsuspecting local townsfolk in exchange for vodka. Police were called when one buyer found a strip of human skin in the meat. The court found Dolbyshev guilty of murder, "swindling and appropriation of property through deceit."

TOKYO (AP) - The amount of ers were exposed to radiation.

# Clinton undergoes surgery

## By TERENCE HUNT

BETHESDA, Maryland (AP) -President Bill Clinton will hobble on crutches for weeks after surgery to repair a damaged leg, but be doesn't want the injury to affect foreign policy too much. Although a visit by Jordan's King Hussein next week will be postponed, plans continue to call for a trip to Finland next week for a summit with Russian President Boris Yeltsin.

First lady Hillary Rodham Clinton was also going ahead with an African trip with daughter Chelsea.

On Friday, surgeons repaired a painful torn knee-tendon in Clinton's right leg after a middleof-the-night accident at the Florida home of golfer Greg Norman. The president will use crutches for eight weeks or so and face arduous physical therapy.

"We were very happy with our repair," the chief surgeon said. "I feel great. They did a terrific job," Clinton said after two hours

of surgery. "I just had an unlucky break. "He has an excellent chance to

regain full motion in his knee," said Dr. David Adkison, adding though that the tear was more complex than normal for such an injury. Doctors said it would be perhaps six mooths before the president would regain full use of his leg.

"He wants to know when he can swing a golf club," Adkison said. "We'll see." Clinton is expected to remain in the hospital until today.

The president interrupted a postoperative news conference that was broadcast live on television, calling by telephone to give his own report on the surgery. Stressing that he had been injury-free most of his life, he

said, "Don't worry about it, 1'll just spend a little time here and go back to work." Doctors said

Clinton would be on a non-narcotic painkiller for a time. The tear in Clinton's tendon was unusual, physicians said. "It tore in a way where there actually still was some of the tendon attached to the bone, which is

uncommon," Adkison said, The president's leg was put in a brace but not a cast. "The main

killed during an attempted robbery is a so-called "special circumstance" that, if upbeld at trial, could allow

prosecutors to seek the death penalty.

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fall," Adkison said. "He might reinjure this."

The accident occurred about 1:20 a.m. Friday at Norman's 80acre oceanside estate at Hobe Sound oo the east coast of Florida, where the president was staying before playing in a golf

toumament The president was rushed back thing we don't want to happen is a to Washington, where he was

operated on at Bethesda Naval Hospital in this Maryland suburb. The surgery was done under a

spinal anesthesia, leaving the president conscious. Turning in for the night after spending several hours with Norman and his family, the president misjudged the steps leading to a walkway and stumbled, tearing the quadriceps tendon that

connects the upper thigh to the: kneecap.

"He remembers bis right knee." buckling out. He heard a very loud pop," said Navy Capt. Connie ar .....

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Mariano, the president's personal physician. It was so loud that Clioton "claims Greg Norman heard it,". presidential aide Bruce Lindsey: said.

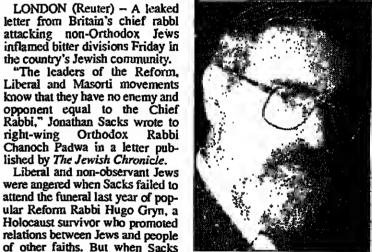
# **Murder charge** UK chief rabbi in Cosby slaying fans Reform rift

LONDON (Reuter) - A leaked letter from Britain's chief rabbl Markhasev was hired last month as a

Arrested Wednesday at his North the country's Jewish community. Hollywood apartment, Markhasev,

attacking non-Orthodox Jews inflamed bitter divisions Friday in

The leaders of the Reform, Liberal and Masorti movements





Mikail Markhasev was charged Friday with murder, attempted robbery and use of a firearm during commission of a crime in the January 16 killing of Ennis Cosby, who was shot to death while changing a tire near a freeway.

LOS ANGELES (AP) -

Prosecutors filed a murder charge

Friday against a young Russian

immigrant in the shooting of comedi-

an Bill Cosby's son and added a spe-

cial allegation that could lead to the death penalty if he is convicted.

The allegation that Cosby, a 27year-old doctoral candidate, was

Markhasev came to the United average student and hard worker at his job in a plant store, but he also had a juvenile criminal record that landed him in a probation camp for six

cashier.

months in 1995. "He just seemed like a nice kid who lived down the block," said Jim Herzoff, owner of Mainly Seconds Pottery Plants and Things, where possession and assault.

States as a refugee from the Soviet Union in 1989 and is not a US citizen, a federal official said. Police Lt. Anthony Alba declined

ing as he awaited arraignment.

was in the custody of sheriff's

deputies at the criminal court build-

lished by The Jewish Chronicle. Liberal and non-observant Jews to release Markhasev's criminal history, but newspapers reported it included convictions for marijuana Australia anti-racism

were angered when Sacks failed to attend the funeral last year of popular Reform Rabbi Hugo Gryn, a Holocaust survivor who promoted relations between Jews and people of other faiths. But when Sacks attended a secular memorial ser-

vice last month for Gryn, Orthodox rabbis protested. There is a sacred responsibility which rests upon me, not merely not to give this false grouping recognition, but also not to be a cause of their receiving that recognition from the state, the government and the heads of churches." Sacks wrote in his letter to Padwa. The Jewish Chronicle said the letter, marked "not for publication," was leaked to it last month. The newspaper said it published

it because British Jews and the

institution of the chief rabbi had become engulfed by a "conflict unprecedented in their history." The newspaper acknowledged that liberal Jews dismayed at Sack's handling of the row over Gryn's funeral might be prompted to set up a leadership of their own. The chief rabbi, who sparked

Jonathan Sacks

another outcry in 1995 wheo he denounced Conservative Jews as "intellectual thieves," appeared to be telling his right-wing critics that be was only publicly praising Hugo Gryn for political reasons, the newspaper added.

The crisis blew apart a facade of unity Sacks has struggled to present since he became chief rabbi in 1990. While pockets of orthodox" Jewish revival have sprung up,religious observance among Britain's 300,000 Jews has declined and Sacks has fought to contain growing internal factions. "I have sought to make us - all of us - a little prouder to be Jews," he wrote in an article next to the letter. "I have sought peace and actively pursued it. That effort has been rewarded by disdain."

# HUSSEIN

radiation released in an accident

at a nuclear plant in northeastem

Japan was 10 times higher than

initially reported by authorities, the plant operator said yesterday.

A fire broke out Tuesday at a

nuclear plant in Tokaimura, 110

kilometers northeast of Tokyo. An

explosion followed and 37 work-

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who headed the powerful intelligence bureau in the 1960s and early 1970s, to direct the investigation into the causes behind the shooting.

Kailani, 64, a trusted confidant of the king, has also held the post of interior minister. From 1993 until February 1996 he was the king's national security adviser.

Jordanian officials confirmed that the gunman is army driver Sgt. Ahmed Daqamsa, 25, from a small village called Idr in Jordan's Irbid province, which overlooks northern Israel.

The monarch has viewed the shooting as, a personal attack on him, coming from the army establishment which takes pride of place in Jordanian society as his main power base.

"I am sure you share with me ... and all members of the bonorable Arab army's armed forces the feelings of pain, shock, and shame over the vile crime... by the bullet of a treacherous coward, who has harmed the noble reputation of onr army and its honor," the king told Kailani in the letter of appointment.

Political analysts say it is too early to say if the killing is a reflection of any disaffection within the loyalist army.

miscalculated the amount of radiation found in the plant's veotilation system. Instead, the radioactive material released in the accident was 10 times more concentrated than the plant initially reported. Japanese oewspapers

Japan nuclear leak bigger

than operator admitted

The government operator,

Donen, said yesterday workers

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will isolate Jerusalem from the

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Jerusalem. It aims "to build hotels

Bethlehem's year 2000 events,

with the aim of replacing

Bethlehem with the new settle-

A poll taken of 500 Palestinians

in the Jerusalem, Bethlehem and

Hebron areas by Dr. Nabil Kokali's Palestinian Center for

Public Opinion last Tuesday, indi-

cated that 72 percent believe

negotiations should be suspended

until Israel reverses its decision

on Har Homa, while 48% think

there should be a new intifada

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Legislative Council proposed sus-

pending negotiations.

On Thursday the Palestinian

Arafat told the conference

Israel's decision to redeploy from

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for us." He also reiterated to the

foreign envoys other charges of

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reported the amount could be as high as 20 times what Doneo reported at first. The cause of the fire and explo-

sion was still under investigation. Yesterday, plant workers continued sealing broken windows and doors to stop further leaks. The plant has refused to say just how much radiation was emitted

but insists it was not dangerous. Cabinet ministers yesterday went to the plant. The accident came just as Japan was trying to rebuild trust in its nuclear program after a December, 1995 accident

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protest turns violent MELBOURNE (Reuter) - An assault Police were well prepared for the protest, deploying over 80 anti-racism protest in Australia officers, including about a dozen on turned ugly yesterday when demonstrators tried to break through a horseback, in case of trouble. police barricade and storm a book-The protest included Jewish, trade

shop run by a right-wing group. Police on horseback were called in to keep the 500 protesters at bay, after some tried to breach the barricade set up in front of the shop in suburban Melbourne, police said. Protesters threw bottles, sticks and eggs at the shop run by National

Action, accusing the group of being a neo-Nazi organization. Police arrested four protesters, charging two men with assaulting police and a third with unlawful

they called racist, anti-immigration and homophobic messages promoted by National Action. National Action's Michael Brander told reporters: "We don't want an Asian future. We certainly don't want a homosexual future ... We don't want the government to con-

union and homosexual groups. They

marched on the shop after rallying in

a nearby park to object to the what

time to use left-wing scum to try and silence freedom of speech."

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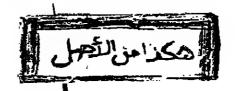
**Oscar**winning director Zinnemann

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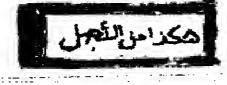
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l appears to be natural causes," I Pamela Godfrey, a colleague Zinnemann's son, producer Tim nemann. "He just stopped." is films posed dilemmas of ral courage and physical brav-High Noon (1951) lifted the stern genre to new heights. is other films included A Man All Seasons, for which he won Oscar in 1966. Oklahoma m Here to Eternity and The y of the Jackal. :st \*=

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HEALTH

# Canadian MDs help heal Mideast wounds

# By JUDY SIEGEL-ITZKOVICH

wo neighbors had a fight decades ago and don't know how to make up. A third party who wasn't connected to the dispute gets the disputants interested in a subject that would benefit both of them, thereby eliminating the grudges, smoothing over sensitivities and healing the wounds.

This is very much like the situation involving a non-governmental orga-nization in Canada with strong ties to both Israel and the Arab world. The Isabel Silverman Canada International Scientific Exchange Program (CISEPO) hopes to be a catalyst for bringing Israelis, Jordanians, Palestinians and other s together by encouraging joint medical research and collaboration. CISEPO was founded in 1984 by

Prof. Amold Noyek, chief of otolaryngology at Monnt Sinai Hosoital in Toronto. It began as a bilateral program between Israel and Canada and specifically in promoting cooperation in the ear-nose-and-throat specialty, especially in dealing with cancer in these organs. But within two years, Noyek and his colleagues decided to expand CISEPO's agenda, and the Middle East peace process showed the direction for its growing interests. "We decided to weave Israel into the fabric and bring others into it so that everyone benefits." said Noyek in a recent inter-

view during one of his very frequent visits to Israel. CISEPO, which has an annual budget of \$300,000 (mostly from the Saul Silverman Family Foundation

in Toronto), forged formal links with

Hadassah-University Hospitals in Jerusalem, the Rabin Medical

Center in Petah Tikva, Wolfson

Hospital in Holon, the Weizmann

Institute in Rehovot and Soroka

Hospital in Beersheba, as well as the

King Hussein Medical Center in

Amman, Green Lane. Hospital in

Auckland, New Zealand, and

University Hospital in Utrecht, the

Netherlands. It also has ties with the

Arab community in Canada, which

numbers in the tens of thousands.

We have excellent relations with

Palestine House-Canada in Toronto,

which is headed by Rashad Saleh

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with heads of Palestine House." Using its connections with Canadian medical institutions, CISEPO aims to enrich academic

at Hadassah-University ment Hospital in Jerusalem's Ein Kerem; Dr. Yebuda Roth of Wolfson; and Dr. Dan Fliss of Soroka. They were sent to Canada for two years to study advanced techniques not then known in Israel. When they returned, they instituted treatments and research here that would otherwise not have been possible.

Feinmesser opened a molecular biology lab at Beilinson and his unit became the leading thyroid cancer center in the region, Noyek noted. Fliss, who trained in Canada five years ago, brought back an expertise in skull-based ENT surgery. "For years, surgeons thought they couldn't get into these parts of the body because the difficult location made them inaccessible. But now we know how to do in safely."

Elidan and his colleagues have developed a way to study evoked potential (using an electronic monitor without the patient's active involvement) to find the cause of balance disorders. This directly resulted from the CISEPO project. Roth, who has just completed his two years in Canada, is about to open a nasal-airflow lab at Wolfson.

Novek said CISEPO's programs are growing to other disciplines, but that as ENT is his specialty - and because otolaryngology was the pioneer in endoscopy and other noninvasive medical procedures -- it will continue to be prominent. So far, CISEPO researchers have produced an impressive 250 medical articles in textbooks and prominent journals around the world.

Philip Aber, CISEPO's policy planning adviser who accompanied Noyek on his latest trip, noted that recent meetings they organized in Gaza involving Israelis, Palestinians and Jordanians were very successful. "The Jordanians are very encouraging of scientific cooperation with Canada and want it to expand to other neighbors in the region," he said. "The same is true of the Palestinians, but it has to occur at a pace that satisfies all the parmers."

Health Minister Yehoshua Matza met with Noyek and Aber during their visit here and strongly endorsed efforts to serve as a bridge between doctors in the region. "Israel can and should reach out to its neighbors and establish lasting partnerships that address common interests. Our organization can serve as an honest broker," Aber added. The result is the establishment of a CISEPO Canada-Israel-Palestinian Authority medical and health services program. It will extend to dentistry, nursing, public health and other medical and paramedical specialties. Palestinian doctors are "realistic" about the need for cooperation with Israelis, said Aber. "They and the Israelis both know your can't have economic and social development without peace, or peace without economic and social development." Cancer affects every nation, thus the Middle East Cancer Consortium (including Cyprus, Israel, Egypt, Jordan and the Palestinian Authority - with Turkey soon to join) has been enthusiastically received by participants. CISEPO, as a voluntary organization with good contacts among the other partners, has been chosen Canada's official representative for the consortium, whose international executive director is Professor Michael Silberman, the Health Ministry's former chief scientist.

# Haredim care for their own

## By JUDY SIEGEL-ITZKOVICH

ochele lies on a thick foam mattress surrounded by toys and waits for her turn with the physiotherapist. The only things that seem to move in this four-yearold with cerebral palsy are her eyes: her pupils dart constantly from one side to another, as if they were trying to escape from a body that doesn't work properly.

The sweet-looking child is one of 80 aged one to 13 who are being cared for at Tikvah Laveled, a CP rehabilitation and special-education center in Ierusalem's Bayit Vegan quarter. It's the only such facility in the capital for children with CP from the haredi community - which for years tended to virtually hide such children in closets for fear that their mere existence would harm their siblings' chances for a good match for marriage. Today, the problems and needs of

physically and even mentally disabled children in the haredi community have emerged from the closet, and families stricken by such disorders have set up voluntary organizations to meet their unique needs.

Fifteen years ago, it happened to Zvi Braitstein and his wife Sheindele. They had two healthy children, and then triplets were born: two healthy girls and one boy, Yoel, who was different. Zvi, a 13th-generation Jerusalcmite and the son of the long-time secretary of the Eda Haredit, made his living producing leather housings for tefillin, and he had never even heard of cerebral palsy.

He soon learned that the condition strikes 0.7% of all babies, affects over 10,000 Israelis, and is caused by injury to the central nervous system during pregnancy, delivery or soon after.

When Yoel's problem was finally diagnosed at the age of two, Zvi took him and the whole family to Brooklyn, where he was put in touch with another tefillin-maker who had a son with CP and who ran a rehabilitation institute for such children. "I met numerous Israeli families like ours who left the country to get help for their children in a religious atmosphere," recalls Zvi, a Hassid who wears ritual fringes out-

tucked into long black socks - yet his openness and familiarity with medical conditions are incongruously modern. "I thought to myself: if I can take a inanimate piece of animal skin and mold it into boxes to hold tefillin parchment, then one could take a CP child, who has a soul, and help make him better."

side his shirt and black trousers

Although Zvi found work in his vocation in New York, the Braitsteins wanted to return to Jerusalem, but they could do so only if they had a suitable place for treating Yoel. He was enrolled in the rehabilitative kindergarten directed by the late pediatric neurologist Prof. Naomi Amir, and he progressed neurologically. But the par-ents felt uncomfortable that their son, who is a bright boy, didn't get the type of religious training they were accustomed to. "There are some 200 severely disabled Jewish children, some of them haredim, under care of nuns in Ein Kerem. Their parents may feel they have no alternative, but we wanted our son to live with us, and we needed help. We dreamed of setting up a CP

clinic; we never dreamed of being able to develop the facilities we have today," continues Braitstein. Tikvah Layeled's main facility is Neveh Zvi, a five-story rented apartment building at 16 Rehov Sha'are Torah in Jerusalem. CP youngsters not only haredim but also from nonreligious and modern Orthodox families - are bused in, and spend more than eight hours a day with a staff of highly professional teachers and physical and occupational therapists.

There are computers, special therapeutic equipment (including cus-tomized boots that hold the feet straight to stretch spastic hamstrings), clectric wheelchairs and catered meals for the children, whose parents pay a nominal NIS 100 to NIS 150 a month for care, The rest is covered by contributions from the Jerusalem Municipality, the ministries of Education and Labor and Social Affairs, and by private donors.

One of the most moving experiences, recalls Braitstein, was going into the building recently and seeing the whole staff and children over-



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A child with cerebral palsy is treated at Tikvah Layeled.

come with emotion. "There were tears in their cyes, and at first, I was worried that something bad had happened. But I could see they were happy. They told me that one fouryear-old boy, who had been undergoing physical therapy for 18 months, had taken his first step and begun to walk. This was just one reward for hard work."

Marvin Samuels, a New York philanthropist, serves as president of the organization, and Canadian businessman Albert Reichman is a member of the board. Esther Wolf heads the Israeli women's committee that helps support the organiza-

tion, while a distinguished medical board includes senior experts in the field, including Dr. Paul Jordan of New York Hospital, Dr. Warwick Peacock of the University of California at Los Angeles, Dr. Fred Epstein of New York University, and Profs. David Segal, Yehuda Shapira and Ilan Arad of the. Hadassah-University Hospitals in Jerusalem.

Segal, who heads the orthopedics department at the Ein Kerem hospital, declares that he can "say only good things about Tikvah Layeled. Ten years ago, the Braitsteins consulted me and explained the special

needs of baredi children with CP. No matter how much the family love them, CP children need a lot of help, and their progress is very slow. It's not like an orthopedic problem, that you operate on and solve. Recovery is not complete.

"For resources, staff size and facilities, no institution dealing with the physically handicapped can compete with Jerusalem's Alyn Hospital, which is one of the best in the world. But for those haredi families that wanted a framework of. their own, any organization that provides professional, high-level assistance in a way that makes parents, comfortable is a boon."

In addition to Neveh Zvi, Tikvah Layeled also supports the local production of children's wheelchairs and therapeutic workstations for. free distribution to hospitals, institutions and private families. It also brings foreign medical experts here for training local doctors in the most advanced methods and operations, sponsors symposia, provides personal family counseling, organizes CP parent support groups and oper-ates a broad volunteer program that directly helps parents function on a daily basis.

Braitstein, now the father of 13 living in the Ramot quarter of Jerusalem, worries about what will happen when the youngsters reach, the age of 18. "We will add extra' classrooms as they get older, but when they reach adulthood, some-; one else will have to establish a place for them."

As it is, Tikvah Layeled has a long waiting list, and could double or triple the number of youngsters if it. had the facilities. It only now, received a donation to install an elevator in the building; until it is built, parents and therapists have to carry, them up the stairs. "We dream of having a building of our own that's physically suited to the needs of the children," Braitstein says.

"The conditions are not ideal," says physical therapist Yocheved Azulai, "But we manage with what we have. Progress for a CP childisn't measured in terms of passing. exams. We have a feeling of satisfaction when we know we've dones something that makes the child feel? 200d."

HEALTH SCAN Smoking in pregnancy increases risk of handicapped baby

Study published recently in the

# By POST HEALTH REPORTER

f women don't yet have a good reason not to smoke during pregnancy, here's one: a editionto the body of a special variety of hairless mice which have a weak immune system and thus can't reject the transplanted

medicine and health care both locally and internationally and - with respect to Israel and its neighbors to contribute to enhancing security and peace and furthering the goal of economic and cultural growth and development," Noyck explained. The program provides academic,

financial and directorial support to several programs here and has initiated collaborative research and medical service programs in this area involving Canadian and Middle Eastern professionals.

"When medical cultures rub up against each other, the result is synergistic. Both of them gain," Noyek said, when asked how Canada benefits by its connections to doctors in other countries.

Among the senior Israeli physicians who have benefited from the program are Prof. Rafi Feinmesser, a leading otolaryngologist at the Rabin Medical Center-Beilinson Campus, students of Prof. Yosef Elidan, head of the ear-nose-and-throat depart-

If cancer can help long-feuding neighbors to find common interests and work together, than so be it.

prestigious journal Pediatrics found that the risk of having a mentally handicapped baby is at least 50 percent higher in women who smoked during pregnancy than those who didn't. The study, quoted in a recent issue of the Hebrew-language The Israel Journal of Family Practice, notes that pregnant women who smoked over a pack a day were 75 percent more likely to have a mentally deficient child. This is in addition to a much greater risk of low birth weight, complications during delivery and crih death. Dr. Alon Margalit of the family

medicine department at Ben-Gurion University notes as an addendum to the article: "If this piece of research doesn't induce mothers to stop smoking, then what will?"

FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH Aging skin can rehabilitate

itself, according to new research Technion. But don't gct your conducted at the Rapaport hopes up yet for a rejuvenation: it School of Medicine at the Haifa has been shown so far to work

only on mice. Dr. Amos Gilhar took skin from transplanted patch regained its original thickness and looked like that of a youngster.

tissue. Three months later, the

To check the results, Gilhar connted the number of melanocytes (pigment cells) in the skin, which decrease in nnmber with aging due to exposure to the sun hy about 8 percent every decade after the age of 20. He found the number of melanocytes in the transplanted skin was sig-nificantly higher.

The rejuvenation secret is apparently in the increase in the presence of cytokines, which are proteins that stimulate the renewal of skin.

As people get older, they have fewer cytokines, but when placed on a young animal, many of them were restored.

The Technion researcher says it's unlikely that the fountain of youth will he found in the near future, hut he does believe that "science will discover the secret of aging - in the cells."

Digital thermometers can be as accurate as mercury type

# By POST HEALTH REPORTER

**Rx FOR READERS** 

s a digital thermometer as accurate as a conventional mercury Lone? If so, why don't they use them in hospitals? D.R., Ashkelon. Dr. Avi Livnat, director of the medical device department at the Health Ministry in Jerusalem, replies: There are many different types of

digital thermometers, some of them very accurate and some less so. In general, the thermometer in the form of a pacifier is less accurate than that which measures temperature via the inneman ear. In most cases, the variations are not in several degrees Celsius but in

tenths of a degree. Our department has checked some of them and has issued letters of approval to those that meet our standards.

Consumers should ask the pharmacist to see the letter of ministry approval before buying. Unfortunately, we haven't examined all of them, as we are still waiting for the passage of a law that would require all medical equipment to be registered by my department before it can be imported and marketed.

We won't have to check all of them ourselves, as we accept rolings of the US Food and Drug Administration, the British medical device agency and others abroad; we will check all Israeli-made devices that haven't yet been approved by foreign agencies.

Conventional thermometers with mercury are cheap and highly accurate; they don't break down except when they break into pieces. But your statement that digital ther-



(David Brauner) mometers are not used in hospitals is incorrect. Most neonatal departments use them on infants. Many

some hospitals don't use them because of the cost - and conservatism. If you see that a certain brand of digital thermometer is used in a hospital, you can be well assured that it is an accurate model.

What type of pillow is better for an asthmatic: down or synthetic? A.T., Beersheba.

Prof. Meir Shalit, director of the Internal Medicine A Department at Hadassah-University Hospital in Jerusalem's Ein Kerem and an expert at the hospital's allergy and clinical immunology unit, answers:

Asthmatics who suffer from the type caused or worsened by allergies to the excrement of house-dust mites are advised to purchase special covers to their pillows, blankets and mathresses.

These mites, invisible to the human eye, live in rugs, pillows, mattresses and blankets. These special zippered covers, while expensive, can prevent the mites from colonizing. In general, there are fewer mites in synthetic pillows than in down pillows, but the special cover is highly recommended.

Such environmental control can significantly reduce asthma attacks in those patients allergic to dust mites. Not all doctors remember to give their patients this advice.

Does eating chicken skin have a harmful effect on one's blood-cho-

lesterol level? E.E., Jerusalem. Rene Lipa, director of the nutrition and diet unit at the Rabin Medical Center-Beilinson Campus, replics: Chicken skin adds considerably to the cholesterol, fat and caloric level of portions in which they are served. It is not necessary to remove the skin before cooking, unless you are cooking it with rice, potatoes or other vegetables that absorb the fat and from which is cannot be separated. When cooking chicken soup or gravies, it's easy to cool the liquid until the fat congeals and then remove it. If serving chicken whole, you should remove the skin before eating it. I recommend this as a preventive measure for healthy people with low cholesterol levels, and certainly to people with high levels who suffer from heart disease. Replacing part of the animal fat in one's diet with olive oil, avocado and olives is strongly recommended.

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**OPINION** 

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Metar is hy no means a small

community. It consists of nearly

1,200 families - some five or six

thousand residents - and contin-

ues to grow as part of the expand-

ing metropolitan growth of the

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Beersheba region.

against its rapid growth.

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# Hussein's condolence call

Noday's visit here hy Jordan's King Hussein is a reminder that in the Middle East, personal gestures are often as important as political decisions. The tragic background to the king's visit - the merciless slaughter of seven young schoolgirls at Naharayim - again highlights the delicate nature of peace in this area.

Royal words of condolence, of course, cannot compensate the families for their loss and the king's famous charm cannot be expected to heal the scars the massacre has left. But the king's short stay in Israel can do much to ease the crisis atmosphere created - hoth here and in Jordan - hy his harsh letter to Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu last week. If Hussein can send a new message today, one which firmly rejects the inevitability of violence, then his visit will have served its purpose.

The peace process between Israel and her Arab neighbors has never run smoothly; the exhaustive emotional roundabout of crisis followed by celebration has become a predictable cycle of events; the last example being the opening of the Western Wall Tunnel exit and the subsequent violence, followed by the Hebron redeployment and the international hailing of Netanyahu as a sensible peacemaker.

The government's decisions to build on Jerusalem's Har Homa and to redeploy from only two percent of Area C in the West Bank set coffin.

off a new round of despondency in the region. While the government acted within the letter of the Oslo Accords in both cases, it ignored the spirit of the agreement in that it failed to even try to win the Palestinians' tacil agreement for these unilateral decisions. Although it is unlikely the Palestinians would have agreed to either step, an hnnest attempt hy the government to explain Israel's position, coupled with progress on other matters such as the Gaza airport, would have served to soften the hlow and lessen ten-

The cabinet's decision on Friday to go ahead with construction this week at Har Homa was inevitable; to do otherwise would have been interpreted in the Arab world as a sign of weakness and readiness to bend under pressure. Just as inevitable were Palestinian Authority Chairman Yasser Arafat's remarks at the Gaza conference this weekend that the government's actions spelled the end of the peace process.

It is now up to Netanyahu and Arafat to climb down from their respective trees and move forward. Having seen on Thursday the terrible results of angry rhetoric culminating in violence, Arafat must ensure that this weekend's conference does not provide justification for bloodshed. Netanyahu's task is to convince Arafat that construction on mainly Jewishowned land in Jerusalem is not a nail in Oslo's

# Lands in need of hope

areas - inner cities, trailer-parks, ghettos of Lunabsorbed immigrants. Continents seem to have similar places and, in Europe, it must be the area known loosely as the Balkans.

After the lost decades of being locked in the strait-jacket of communist obedience, followed by the borrific conflicts in Yugoslavia, the last few months bave seen a worrisome spread of new discontent in the region, accompanied by an equally disturbing failure of democratic values to take root. The problem became glaringly obvious in Serbia, where the cynical President Slobodan Milosevic most brazenly tried lo hijack local elections and then to face down a winter of determined revolt in the streets.

Economic chaos in Bulgaria likewise brought

Individual countries bave their hopeless-case democracy, who behave like South American generalissimos, and who think economics is the science of making politicians ricb. The people feel as if politicians like Milosevic and Albania's Sali Berisha are stealing their future from under their noses.

In Albania's case, literally. The government failed to warn the public about the pyramid savings scams so well known in the West but new to the naive people of a formerly isolated state. Some government officials even encouraged and profited from the nationwide rip-off. Huge sectors of the population bave lost what meager life savings they had, leaving them a destitute island on a continent that grows wealthier all around them. "We [in the Balkans] all feel like we belong to a European losers' club," a senior



# The geography of fear

# DAVID NEWMAN

many no-go areas, too many Israel from the West Bank is a invisible lines we are afraid to cross. And last Thursday's horriffactor which determines where, and how, residents of Israel travel ic attack at Naharayim only added to a sense that even the "safe" freely

places may no longer be safe. Prior to 1987 and the beginning The news earlier in the week of the intifada, it was quite comthat the guard at the small West mon for residents of Beersheba to Bank settlement of Tene had been take the narrow, meandering, stabled hy a terrorist caused a Hehron route. But following the minor panic in my home commuoutbreak of vinlence, the number nity of Metar. We are just a few of travelers plummeted. In fact,

> There are too many no-go areas, too many invisible lines we are afraid to cross

Although Tene was founded the flow dried up. The taxi route be the controller, there is a before Metar, its location on the ceased to operate, and the Egged bus route on this line was reduced "other" side of the Green Line was always a factor mitigating to two buses a day.

Those who continued to travel By contrast, Metar, whose first that route reinforced the windows residents arrived in 1985, has of their vehicles and carried arms at the ready. Most simply stopped managed to attract a cross-section traveling on any route that was of Israeli society, right- and leftwing, religious and secular, perceived as being too dangerous.

Ashkenazi and Sephardi. Given our heightened degree of social THE Oslo agreement has led to the construction of the Dahariya tension, they all manage to live together in relative harmony. and Hebron bypass roads, which shorten the travel time to The last two election campaigns have shown support for all the Jerusalem even more. A few additional travelers have ventured out major parties to be a mirror image of national voting patterns, with on this quiet and scenic route, but Labor and the Likud coming in a for most it remains a geographical

gun or the stone would be completely unaware - and uninterested - in my political views.

As I drive through Halboul, my state of alertness increases, then, as I pass Gush Etzion and drive through the impressive new tunnels, I automatically relax.

I suppose I am a fatalist - or that I don't really believe it could happen to me.

On one recent journey I took my children along for the ride, and was subsequently criticized hy colleagues and neighbors for being an irresponsible parent and endangering their lives.

And even I have my limits. I will take the route only during daylight hours; I won't chance my luck at night, when vision is limited and something unexpected might be waiting for me around the next corner. Yes, for a society that claims to

tremendous amount of geographical fear. The Right argues that we are displaying weakness, and urges us to strengthen our presence with settlements and fences and guns. But that path can only lead to a general increase in violence and terror.

The Left argues that the only way to solve the problem is to disengage, create new fences and walls, to separate one people physically from the other.

Possibly, in the first instance, the latter option is necessary for creating a situation of relative calm and mutual security.

# The Jehovah's Witnesses are

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not easy people to get along with. I remember with distaste the way they stood on street corners in the US, trying to sell their magazine, Watchinwer, and the way they went from house to house trying to convince people of their beliefs.

In a country like Israel, where missionary activity is viewed by many with hate and suspicion, it would be much easier for all concerned if they weren't around. However, the fact is that they do. exist here.

According to their own reckoning, their community includes: about 2,000 people, with some 750-800 "active" members going from house to house to "talk about the Bible.

We would call them aggressive missionaries. And one of their congregations, nut of either naivete and ignorance or pigheaded perversity, rented a meet-ing hall near a Habad neighborhood and school in Lodi

It was almost inevitable that trouble would arise. And one, might almost understand shouts. and taunts from the haredim in the area.

But friction was not confined to words alone. On Saturday night, March 1, a group of haredim gathered outside the Jehovah's Witness meeting hall in Lod and attacked those leaving with stones : and bricks. The police arrived and actually witnessed the attack, but were either unable or unwilling to arrest any of the perpetrators.

During the following week, the. hall was daubed with graffiti, including the words "extermination camp." On Saturday night March 8, when the hall was empty, a mob broke into the. building, wrecked the hall, andmade a honfire of the Bibles and religious literature.

Eyewitnesses reported that the mob sang and danced around the burning books. Again the police.

The true test of a democracy is not how it treats 'nice' minorities, but how it deals with the unpleasant ones

said they bad been unable to identify the assailants. THE perpetrators may have been

the citizens to the streets and this week we have seen a breakdown of near-Bosnian proportions sweep Albania, fueled by public fury over failed pyramid financial scams.

When former Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev abandoned the old Brezhnev Doctrine of controlling Moscow's east European satellites, he said he was replacing it with the Sinatra Doctrine - they could benceforth do il their way. Unfortunately, the Balkan way was not what Gorbachev had in mind.

The anger and frustration of the Balkan populations stems not just from the realization that they are nowhere near acquiring western European lifestyles. They are nowhere near acquiring eastern European progress either. So far. Slovenia looks like the exception that proves the Balkan rule of disorder.

It is no surprise that the Balkan protesters have turned their fury on their governments. They have every right to feel cheated by leaders who refuse to accept the rules of the game of

POOR PARENTING

Sir, - The widespread criticism

of Sara Netanyahu, given her

deliherate high profile, is

I in particular am deeply critical

nf her boasting nn television when

she spoke of her son throwing off

all the pillows from a White

House couch. In the States, we

children were taught: "If it doesn't

to Americans, very bad upbringing, NAOMI KUBITSKY

ABROGATION

Sir, - Is abrogation of the PLO

Covenant meaningful or meaning-

less? Our prime minister, who had

been so firm in his condemnation

of the covenant before the elec-

tions, has recently veered to the

This is certainly a cause for

great alarm. Does he no longer

acknowledge the power nf words

to inflame or calm, to bring about

The covenant calls for Israel's

obliteration. As long as this call is

The French had their "Liberty,

Equality. Fraternity," the Americans had their "Nn Taxation

without Representation" - and

today the Arabs persist in clinging

MENACHEM BLOCK

to "An End to the Jewish State!"

not categorically and clearly repealed, Arabs will continue in

The Netanyahus' child showed, Haifa

belong to you, don't touch it."

inevitable.

Ganei Omer

latter perception.

conflict or conciliation?

see it as their goal.

Givatayim.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

**CRIMINAL PROJECT** 

Sir, - I was jubilant to read in

The Jerusalem Post of March 10

that "Conservationists protest pro-

ject off Bat Galim." This inane

and criminal "project" has long also raised my ire for many excel-

lent reasons. More power to the

elbow of The Society for the

LOOK TO JERUSALEM

Sir, - I have news for Shlomo Gazit. In "Jerusalem in the world's

eyes" (March 3), he writes: "It won't be easy for 2.5 billion believ-

ers to hand over the keys of the city

[Jerusalem] to a religion which

constitutes only half a percent of all

No one, Mr. Gazit, has in hand

nver to us the keys of Jerusalem.

One David Ben-Yishai, King of

Israel, acquired them already 3,000

years agn, and - this time forever -

since 1967, the keys, paid for in the

dearest currency that exists, our

soldiers' blood, are again in Israel's

Mr. Gazit's figure, 2.5 billion believers who "look to Jerusalem," is

utterly absurd. Practically all of them

look, if anywhere, to Mecca or to

Rome or to their local football stadi-

ums. And rightly so. There is only one

nation which for thousands of years

has constantly creamt of, and yearned

and prayed and fought for, Jerusalem.

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those who look to Jerusalem."

MARGE E. LANDSBERG

PROF. DR.

Protection nf Nature in Israel.

economics academic in Belgrade recently told The Washington Post. "We're just way bebind the rest of the continent, including central Europe.'

The only speck of light in the darkness that has descended on heavily armed rebel Albania is that the traditional rivals of the country's north and south so far bave shown no sign of any Bosnian-style desire to start fighting one another. Albanian patriotism may win out over Balkan division. But the European powers must not dither here as they did for so long over Bosnia.

Since the Albanian army and police hate Berisha as roundly as other Albanians, it is likely that outside intervention may be needed to disarm the lawless population. The Europeans will need to offer much material help to drag Albania back from the abyss, but the most vital commodity these angry people need now is hope, not just for a good future - but for any future at all.

strong first and second, followed by Meretz and the National

Religious Party. Metar is located on the direct route from Beershcha to Jerusalem. The distance, via Hebron, is no more than 70 km as compared with a much longer Jerusalem in less than an hour, and my relatives in Gush Etzion route - some 120 km. - if you drive via the Tel Aviv road and in no more than 40 minutes. Kirvat Gat. But the vast majority of residents in Metar opt for the

longer route. With the exception of a small group of residents who regularly travel to pray in Hebron as a political and religious statement, few along the neighboring roads. members of our community take the short and quick route to Jerusalem.

The invisible line separating

# PICTURE POSTSCRIPT

no-go area. But in the long term, the two I have taken to reusing this oldpeoples live on, and share, a very new route to Jerusalem, and have not yet encountered any prob-

small piece of real estate. If we are going to find a way of lems. My car does not have reinliving together, or side by side, forced windows - nor do L, in then we are going to have to share principle, carry arms. 1 can reach our roads, our water and our many

other resources. We are gning to have to start, very slowly, to trust the vast

majority of the "other" people. Despite my support for the peace process and my belief in the Somehow, we are going to have need for a Palestinian state which to rid ourselves of the invisible will encompass the majority nf lines that create our geographies the West Bank, I have no ideologof fear. ical problem about traveling

The writer is professor of political gengraphy and director of the But I am equally aware that I could, just once, choose the Humphrey Institute for Social wrong place on the wrong day, Research at Ben-Gurion and that the person holding the University.

unaware of the fact that Jehovah's Witnesses were one of the groups persecuted and sent to concentration camps in Nazi Germany. Dedicated pacifists, they were considered dangerous to the state. It is this same pacifism that makes them unwilling to fight back when attacked.

Contrary to what many people believe, there is no law against missionary activity in Israel. The only law on the books forbids trying to proselytize minors or offering material benefits as an incentive to change someone's faith.

No one has ever been prosecuted under this law. Indeed, some Christian groups argue that the Israeli legal system, which enables some foreigners to become classified as new immigrants upon conversion to Indaism and thus enjoy the accompanying financial benefits, is, in fact, the offering of such material incentives.

The Jehovah's Witnesses are a particularly vulnerable group. Their missionary work makes them an object of dislike. Their pacifism means that one can attack them without fear of reprisal. They have no political clout

When a Catholic Church in Jaffa was attacked last year, there was an instant - and justifiable wave of protest both in Israel and abroad. When the hall in Lod was attacked, there was barely an echo.

The deputy commander of the Lod police did call in three rabbis and warn them that such acts were illegal. However, since the warning came only after the attack, and the police seem unable to do anything about bringing the perpetrators to jus-tice, the warning is feeble, at best The true test of a democracy is not how it treats "nice" minortties, but how it deals with the unpleasant ones.

will continue to dislike and. disapprove of the Jehovah's Witnesses. If they come to my door, I will turn them away. But they have a legal right to carry on with their missionary work. If they did not have such a right, Israel would be a police state.

Th imagine that anyone can with impunity, attack sich peo-ple, whech their place of worship and burn their books causes nightmares, and evokes the most hideous historical parallels.

The writer is a member of The Jerusalem Post editorial staff

Sir, - I bad occasion to visit Kaplan Hospital in Rehovot and witnessed some very disturbing things. Among them was a total disregard for the warning signs stating specifically, no smoking and no cellular phones allowed. I found that there are no designated smoking areas and that when one is forced to stand for

some minutes waiting for an elevator, a person could die for lack of breathable air, the smoke was so thick! I further witnessed someone with a cellular phone in a delivery room.

LAX ENFORCEMENT

I am intrigued as to why hospital authorities are nnt more strict and watchful of visitors who consistently vinlate rules when the health of patients is involved.

Rehovot.

Sir, - Why all the excitement over the cloning of sheep? We in Israel have a prime minister who is a clone of his predecessor. Of equal scientific interest, our prime minister is proof that an invertebrate can

Sir, - Our Knesset should repudiate the remarks and behavior of MK Ze'evi to US Ambassador Indyk by

BEN SHUA Ra'anana.



Tanya swims with her pet shark in a pool in Warsaw. She plays with dangerous sharks to raise funds far research which, we're sure, the sharks appreciate very much.

POSTSCRIPTS

JOHN YOUNG is keeping a ing my house dnwn." wary eye on traffic outside his Names and addresses of convicted Peoria, Illinois, hnme since his sex offenders became available to address mistakenly was publicized the public under a new Illinois law. as that nf a convicted sex offender. But there were errors in a list of 134 "I've been looking nut the winnames and addresses of sex violators dow and seeing a int of people I've never seen before driving by

real slow," Young said. "Maybe it incorrectly given as the home of was my imaginatinn. But it's his brother Roger who was conscary. I dnn't need anyone humvicted of aggravated criminal sex-

Angela Bennett said her address was given as the home of a sex offender, but be had moved sometime before her family moved in. "I don't need the hate mail or someone coming over and spray painting my house because they think a sex offender lives here. And there are people in this town

obtained by the local newspaper. Young said his address was

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who will do that." she said.

A.G. SLATIS-WEINBERG

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Reflection in a desert pool, Ein Avdat.

reader writes: I was

**Desert photography** The most intrepid 19th-century desert photographer The camera is no stranger to the was desert. Within months of Englishman Francis Frith. In 1856, he tackled the overheated wilderness Daguerre's invention of photography in 1839, a French team regions of the Holy Land, the Sinai and Egypt, where he journeyed headed out to the exotic and arid lands of the Middle East. Artist 2,415 kilometers up the Nile. At

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**ON CAMERA** 

By DAVID BRAUNER

Horace Vernet and his technician

nephew wrote home from Cairo:

"We are daguerreotyping like lions."

Looking at an 1857 Frith photograph of Mt. Sinai, one instantly recognizes the photographer's fascina-

it on the glass plates.

tion with the barren majesty of mountain and the surrounding rocky tunes, temperatures inside his horseplain. Since the last century, many drawn darkroom reached 55 degrees nature. landscape and art photogra-Celsius. The extreme heat somephers have found themselves drawn times caused the wet collodion to the seemingly changeless drier

emulsion to boil when Frith poured

of the earth. Some, like Ansel Adams, Minor White and Elliot Porter, have devoted large portions of their oeuvre to the badlands of North America.

**FEATURES** 

Here, where the 12,000 square kilometers of the Negev mountains and steppe cover about half of the country's area, it is little wonder that many of our finest photographers gravitate to the south of the country. Photographic books inspired by Israel's desert lands have been published by naturalist Dr. David Darom, nature photographer Shai Ginott, landscape artist Neil Folberg, and the late Gail Rubin, to mention but a few. Wadis, dunes and nomadic peoples have been the subjects of numerous exhibits. Springs and pools highlight artist-photographer Howard Clapsaddle's introspective "Pockets of Silence," currently on show at the Jerusalem Theater.

Perhaps for most of us, the Arava or the Negev is something to get through on the way to Eilat. At a casual glance, the view appears as empty, boring wasteland, devoid of anything worth stopping for. Yet, the desert is anything but, as I found out on a recent visit to Sde Boker and Mitzpe Ramon.

To know the desert, the photographer has to be close to it. That means walking, stopping, waiting and observing. You don't have to go far. Just follow a dry river bed, or one of the many marked trails. Winter is a good time, simply because there's water in the wadis and the sun isn't so sizzling hot. Soft, even afternoon light makes powerful pictures.

The desert is in many ways the ultimate challenge for the photographer. To begin with, its very vastness is a problem to convey. Not even the widest wide-angle lens cafi capture the richness of the space or the enormity of the silence that one experiences in the desert.

It is far better to take a minimalist approach. Train your eyes to see the small things that indicate the essence of the unforgiving landscape that they are a part of. As you walk along a wadi, you will notice huge boul ders becoming loose scree, and slabs underfoot sculpted by thousands of

years of seasonally flowing water. A twig growing out of a rock face, animal tracks, the lone acacia tree all make interesting subjects because ' noble, long-horned wild goats were they contrast survival with the inhospitable.

Don't be surprised to see animal life, especially near watering places at dawn and dusk. In the late after-

By DANIEL ROGOV

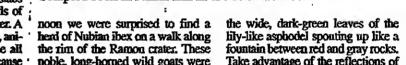
hily-like asphodel sponting up like a fountain between red and gray rocks. Take advantage of the reflections of quiet pools to make "fold-out" mirror images. In a few days of desert photogra-

For color workers, the desert offers a full palette. The rusts and yellows phy, I used my full range of equip-ment. The 28 mm. wide-angle lens of the lichen patches growing on the

(David Brauner)

came in handy for landscapes and tight places. The 200 mm, telephoto lens served me well for getting closer to the ibex. A set of close-up filters for small flowers and fossils, and red filter was perfect for the dazzling sunsets. But with any camera, the desert is a great place to practice photography.

Sculpted rock in Nahal Zin in the late afternoon.



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means a usual bappening, it is far less rare than one might imagine. It is most likely that your adoption of the kitten happened to coincide with a pseudo pregnancy in your dog. These pseudo or false pregnancies are not at all rare. But, in this case, she not only

had the pseudo pregnancy bnt suddenly found that somebow she bad a "puppy." Her bormones went from the pregnancy

# All in the head... or the hormones

By DYORA BEN SHAUL

but not the only one. Experiments have shown that some animals, and also hnman females, can lactate nuder the stimulns of parenting. One particular experiment actually sbowed that more than balf of the women in the study wbo were all waiting to adopt babies that were to be born within two to three months were able, by concentration and massage, to induce lactation. I once bad a Great Dane bitch

that was neither pregnant nor even showing any signs of a psendo pregnancy but when one of my Cana'ani bitches died just. after whelping, the Great Dane at first licked and nuzzled the pups after I bad fed them but within a few days started to lactate and raised all four of the

pups herself. In actuality, not a lot is known about the relationship between emotions and bormones although there is plenty of reason to suspect that there is a great amount of interplay in these two areas.

We do know that emotional reactions, such as stress and

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menstrual eyele and that the same forces can affect attempts to conceive. We also know that these factors can cause great fluctuations in a man's testosterone level. As for mammals, it's a problem because we know so little about their mental states. In most cases we anthropomorphize and attribute behavioral manifestations to situations that resemble them in humans. Bnt whether these are the same states, we have no way of know-

(David Brauner)

As for pseudo pregnancies in general, goats bave them at times and dogs quite often. Some breeds are more prone to this complication than others, in partienlar eocker spaniels and Labradors.

Although it ean bappen in any breed, it is most common in smaller breeds. In any case, the situation is something that passes in a few weeks.

The best way to stop it is to ehange the bitch's rontine, take ber for a walk in a new place or for a trip in the car. Anything that will, may I say without anthropomorphizing, get ber

probably not a man, woman or child of Irish descent who is not aware that tomorrow is St. Patrick's Day. This is, however, the first year that those in Israel will have a chance to take part in the festivities. In addition to a gala reception being hosted by the Irish ambassador in Herzliya Pituah, 12 local pubs are devoting a week or longer to the pleasures of Irish music and beverages

As has happened every year since 1449, the gold and blue flags that usually decorate the cathedral in Dublin have been replaced by green pennants; and in the tiny village of Holmpatrick, the church and every house have been given a washable coat of emerald-green paint in honor of this special day. Throughout Ireland, pubs and restaurants are preparing for an occasion that is traditionally celebrated with an abundance of food and drink.

These celebrations are by no means limited to Ireland. In New York City, eight kilometers of the white line that marks the center of Fifth Avenue has been painted green

to take part in the annual St. Patrick's hroughout the world there is Day parade. In total, some 40 million people around the world annually devote a day to the memory of Patrick, a fourth-century saint whose major miracle involved ridding Ireland of snakes. There is, however, a rather amusing side to all of this, for even though Patrick is beloved throughout Ireland, there is a good chance that he never did most of the things for which he is given credit.

If there was a St. Patrick at all, he was probably the Scotsman, Succat, who was born in 385, and who changed his name to Patricius only after his acceptance as a priest.

So holy was Patrick considered . that nearly every place he ever visit-ed was renamed after him. His birthplace is now Kilpatrick (the cell of Patrick); he lived in Dalpatrick (the district of Patrick) and visited Craghardrig (the rock of Patrick).

When he was about 19, the saintto-be set sail for England (need it be said that he sailed from the port now known as Portpatrick). He finally made his way to Ireland, and settled in the village now known as Holmpatrick, near Dublin. Wherever he went, Patrick's main mission in

and over 40,000 people are expected life was not so much in having towns and churches named for him but in converting heatheas to Christianity. The fact that in 1982, Pope John

XXIII issued a papal bull declaring that the great saint and his exploits were "more myths than realities" has not stopped Irishmen from accepting Patrick as their patron saint. The local pubs participating in this

celebration of Irish good spirits are M.A.S.H., Joyce, Beers, and Gordon Inn in Tel Aviv; Mike's Place, Champs and Glasnost in Jerusalem Camel and Kalman in Haifa: La Pub and Scotchman in Netanya; and Big Ben in Tiberias.

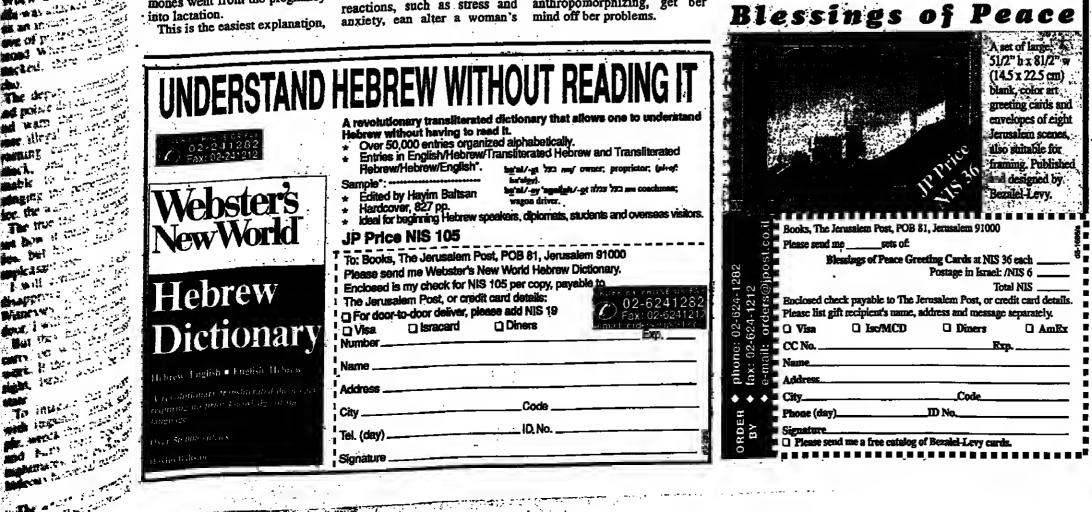
Although poteen, the home-

brewed whiskey made in nearly half of the homes of Ireland, will not be available here, there will be no shortage of Irish whiskey, Guinness stout, Irish coffee and Black Velvet, a drink made by gently pouring champagne and Guinness into the same glass.

For the uninitiated, stout is a dark, almost black, mildly sweet and rather potent beer that has the pronounced taste of malt and hops. Anthor Sean O'Faolain once observed that stout, the drink most often associated with the Emerald Isle, "is every bit as Irish as the Blamey Stone and damned well as Irish as any of the best Irishman who

ever walked the face of the earth."

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# SPORTS

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# Setine wins TA Tarheels give coach sweet victory half-marathon

Tel Aviv mayor Milo vows 'no more marathons'

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## By JOEL GORDIN

Thirty-seven-year-old Haile Setine strode ahead of a strong field of local and overseas runners to win the Tel Aviv half-marathon race on Friday.

Friday. The big, balding, Ethiopian immigrant clocked 1 hour: 3 minutes: 43 seconds, the best time for a balf marathon (21.1 km.) run by an Israeli athlete in Israel. It beats Dov Cremer's previous mark by 13 seconds. However it fell short of the course record of 1:02:23 set two years ago by Kenyan Philemon Metto.

The race was beld in almost perfect conditions, cold but with no wind or rain. Russian Alexander Gourine took an early lead, but Setine overtook him after nine kilometers and never looked back. Gourine finished second in 1:03:59, Assaf Bimro was third in 1:04:47, and Amit Neuman came in fourth at 1:05:46.

Setine, a father of five, arrived here in 1991 with no running experience and was settled in a caravan site near Akko. His talent was discovered by veteran Italian-born trainer Antonio Santori of the Sulam Tsur Running Club. He now lives in Hadera and is a member of a private running club founded in Kfar Sava by former champion Ya'ir Karni.

Hungarian Helena Baroczi effortlessly won the women's event for the second successive year. However ber time of 1:14:35 fell short of her own course record of 1:13:06.

Nili Abramski was second in 1:17:27, only 26 seconds short of the national record set by Zehava Shmueli 10 years ago. The 27-year-old, slim, bespectacled, physiotherapist from Rehovot easily beat her archrival Ella Krismass, who was third in 1:20:12. Krismass, however, refused to abandon the feud between the two

women which started at this year's Tiberias Marathon. The new immigrant from Moldavia claimed she "could have won, but was oot feeling

About 12,000 took part in all the running eventsincluding a 6km. popular race and two 2km. fun run.

Tel Aviv mayor Ronnie Milo told Israel Television on Friday night that "there will be oo more marathon or half marathons in the city." He said the "suffering caused to motorists was out of proportion to the value of the event."

The Tel Aviv Marathon is organized jointly by the city's municipality and the Hapoel Sports Center. The two organizations appear to be heading for a sbowdown: Hapoel managing director Yoram Oberkowitz told a press conference after the race that "next year's marathon event, to be held in the shadow of the state's 50th birthday, will be twice as big. We plan to hold a full marathon from Rabin Sqaure to Jaffa and back along the beachfront."

The Tel Aviv Marathon was first held 17 years ago. Three years ago, the full marathon was abandoned as a result of complaints about traffic problems. For the same reason the event was also moved to a Friday, a noo-working day for many citizens.

# SA take control in second Test

PORT ELIZABETH, SA (AP) -South Africa used a mix of pace and swing yesterday to seize control of the second cricket Test against Australia at St. George's Park.

After bowling out Australia for 108, South Africa scored 83 for no loss to take an overall 184-run lead with three days remaining.

vage the contest, after appearing in position to hand South Africa their first home Test series defeat since the South Africans returned to international cricket in 1991 after being banned two decades

because of apartheid. South African openers Gary Kirsten and Adam Bacher set the platform for a healthy second

innings total that would give the

The pair took the attack to Glenn

Kirsten put behind the disap-

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with a tentative 41 that iocluded

seven boundaries, while Bacher

hit 38 with five fours as they bat-

Resuming on 10 for one,

Australia lost captain Mark Taylor

(B) for yet another failure and

Mark Waugh (20) in the first ses-

sion to reach a lunchtime score of

59 for three in 41 overs.

ted out 30 overs before stumps.

McGrath and Jason Gillespie with

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some controlled hitting.

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. (AP) - Dean Smith is in a class by him-

The North Carolina coacb became college basketball's career victory leader yesterday when the top-seeded Tar Heels beat Colorado 73-56 io the second round of the NCAA tournament. The 66-year-old Smith had been

Kansas beat Purdue, 75-61, last night in the Second Round of the Southeast Regional

tied with Adolpb Rupp at \$76 wins for two days and now he's alone and the Tar Heels (26-6) are in the round of 16 for the 21st time in his

With former star players such as Sam Perkins, George Karl, Bobby Jones and Mitch Kupchak in the

"I share it with all the guys who played," Smith said of the record. Smith is g77-253 as a head coach, all at North Carolina, while Rupp, who retired in 1971 and died in 1977, was \$76-190 in 41 years, all at Kentucky. The two met seven times with Smith winning five of the games. The Tar Heels' 14th consecutive

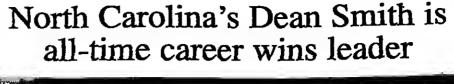
victory moves them into the East Regional semifinals next Friday in Syracuse, N.Y., against the win-ner of the Villanova-California

When the game ended, Smith went over and shook hands with the opposiog coaches, as be always does, was hugged by some of his players, a rare sight, and then trotted off toward the locker room as he has after every win and

loss for 36 years. Antawn Jamison led the Tar Heels with 19 points and 16 rebounds, while Shammood Williams had 15. Fred Edmonds led the Buffaloes with 18 points. Colorado led 31-30 after a ragged first half during which Vince Carter, the Tar Heels' thirdleading scorer and best perimeter defender, injured his right groin and never returned.

The Tar Heels came out in the -second half a different team. The shots that hadn't been falling were and the defense forced turnoyees. that became easy baskets.

Freshman point guard Ed Cota, the catalyst to North Carolina rebounding from a worst-ever 0-3 Atlantic Coast Conference start, keyed the burst. He hit two 3-





BIG SKY - Montana's Eric Bowie flies over Kentucky's Jamaaal Magliore (42) on his way to a basket in Thursday night's action. Kentucky won in a rout, 92-54. (AP)

with 2,475 points. Wake Forest 68, St. Mary's 46 Tim Duncan outplayed 7-foot-3, 345-pound Brad Millard and Wake Forest wore down St. Mary's Duncan had 22 points and 22 rebounds, while Millard fin-isbed with 16 points and six rebounds.

Stanford 80, Oklahoma 67 Kris Weens scored 20 points and Brevin Knight added 1g for Stanford, which handed Oklahoma its third straight opening-round defeat.

> NCAA RESULTS: EAST REGIONAL First Round

(Lawrence Joel Coliseum, Winston-Salem, N.C.) Thursday's results: California 55, Princeton 52; Villanova 101, Long Island U 91; North Carolina 82, Fairfield 74; Colorado 80, Indiana 62.

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(Pittsburgh Civic Arena) Friday's results: Texas 71, Wisconsin 58; Coppin State 78, South Carolina 65; New Mexico 59, Old Dominion 55; Louisville 65, Massachusetts 57. Second Round

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(Pintsburgh Civic Arena) Today: New Mexico vs. Louisville; Coppin St. vs. Texas.

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL First Round

(The Pyramid, Memphis, Tenn.) Thursday's results: Kansas 78, Jackson State 64; Purdue 83, Rhode Island 76 (OT); College of Charleston 75, Maryland 66; Arizona 65, South Alabama 57.

(At Charlotte Coliseum) Friday's results: Tennessee-Chattanooga 73, Georgia 70; Illinois 90, Southern California 77; Providence 81, Marquette 59; Duke 71, Murray State 68. Second Round

(The Pyramid) Yesterday: Kansas 75, Purdue 61, College of Charleston (29-2) vs. Arizona (20-9). (Charlotte Coliseum)

Today: Duke vs. Providence, Tn.-Chattanooga vs. Illinois.

MIDWEST REGIONAL **First Round** (The Palace of Auburn Hills) Thursday's results: Cincinnati 86, Butler 69; Iowa State 69, Illinois State 57; Xavier, Ohio 80, Vanderbilt 68; UCLA 109, Charleston Southern 75. (Kemper Arena, Kansas City,

Mo.)

Friday's results: Clemson 68, Miami, Ohio 56; Tulsa 81, Boston University 52; Temple 62, Mississippi 40; Minnesota 78. Southwest Texas State 46. Second Round (The Palace of Auburn Hills) Yesterday: Cincinnati (26-7) vs. Iowa State (21-8), UCLA (22-7)

36 seasons.

stands at Joel Coliseum and bis adoring Carolina faithful filling most of the 14,600-seat building just 80 miles from Chapel Hill, Smith's current squad dominated the ninth-seeded Buffaloes (22-10) in the second half.

'The Australians' joy of bundling out the home side for 209 runs in the opening innings Friday was short-lived as their batsmen failed to overcome the bounce and some disciplined South African bowling.

Australian batsmen scratched around for 70.4 searching overs to oegotiate the seam and swing extracted by medium pacemen, scoring at 1.5 runs an over.

The reversal was dramatic, coming after Australia's innings and 196-run victory in the opening Test and some poor South African batting in the first innings of the second Test.

Now Australia must try to sal-

# Efes Pilsen to meet French club in Euro League quarters

### By BRIAN FREEMAN

The Euro League basketball quarterfinals matchups have been set, following the Final 16 actioo over the weekend.

Efes Pilsen, which defeated Maccabi Tel Aviv in the Final 16, will take on Villeurbanne in the best-of-three quarterfinals, which are set to begin on March 27.

Panathinaikos, the defeoding European champions, will have their hands full with a matchup against rival Greek clnb Olympiakos, making its fifth straight trip to the quarterfinals. Barcelona, which lost in the championship game last season, will play Time System Bologna, and Stefanel Milan is pitted

pointers in the first seven minutes, the second of which gave the Tar Heels a 48-39 lead. He followed that with a great pass to Serge Zwikker who converted a threepoint play for a 12-point lead. After a basket by Colorado's Dennis Griffin, Ademola Okulaja converted a four-point play for a 55-41 lead with 11:47 left.

A technical foul on Colorado coach Ricardo Patton, who was looking for career win No. 27, came in the middle of an g-0 run that gave the Tar Heels a 68-45 lead with 8:15 to play. All that was left was to determine the final margin of victory and the celebration

Zwikker and Okulaja also had 11 rebounds for North Carolina, which finished with a 52-31 advantage on the boards. It as Smith's 63rd NCAA tour-

nament victory, extending his own record. UCLA's John Wooden is second with 47.

# FRIDAY'S GAMES

EAST Coppin State 78, S Carolina 65 Coppin State, which had never won an NCAA tournament game, stunned South Carolina 78-65 m the opening round of the East Regional on Friday night. It was

only the third time a No. 15 seed has defeated a No. 2 seed. "We didn't eveo know it was

South Carolina out there," said Reggie Welch, who bad 15 rebounds for Coppin State. "We kept on getting confidence, and before you knew it, we were up."

Texas 71, Wisconsin 58 Reggie Freeman broke out of a shooting slump with 31 points as Texas beat Wisconsin. Freeman had shot less than 28 percent from the field in his six previous games. N Mexico 59, Old Dominion 55 Kenny Thomas scored 15 points and New Mexico shut down highscoring Odell Hodge to defeat Old Dominion. Hodge was held to seven points, 11 below his aver-

Louisville 65, U Mass 57 Freshman Nate Johnson scored 21 points and DeJuan Wheat added 16 despite a painful bout of shoulder tendinitis to lead Louisville.

SOUTHEAST Chattanooga 73, Georgia 70 Tennessee-Chattanooga, the No. 14 seed in the Southeast Regional, scored the first 15 points against third-seeded Georgia, then held on for a 73-70 victory.

Willie Young scored 24 points

for Chattanoora which mave the Southern Conference only its second NCAA tournament win in 15

scasons. "We really wanted to have a good start," forward Johnny Taylor said. "And when the shots started falling, it just carried over from there."

Illinois 90, Southern Cal 77 Kiwane Garris hit 16 of 17 foul shots and scored 27 points for Illinois, which shot a season-high 59.6 percent from the field. **Providence 81, Marquette 59** 

Austin Croshere scored a careerhigh 39 points, hitting a 70-foot shot just before the end of the first half, as Providence got its first

NCAA tournament victory in 10 years. Duke 71, Murray St. 68

Jeff Capel scored 25 points as Duke held on to beat Murray State, which lost its fifth straight NCAA tournament game.

#### MIDWEST

Temple 62, Mississippi 40 Temple shut down Mississippi with its matchup zone defense and beat the Rebels 62-40. Ole Miss' point total was the lowest ever in the Midwest Regional.

"I know what to do with it, but my players don't," Mississippi

shots in the final two quarters.

Heat 88, Grizzlies 82

Magic 86, Hornets 81

coach Rob Evans said of Temple's confusing zone.

Mark Jackson scored 24 points and Rasheed Brokenborough added 20 for Temple, which forced Ole Miss into 18 turnovers. The Rebels shot only 36 percent from the field and missed seven of 10 free throws.

Clemson 68, Miami of Ohio 56 Greg Buckner scored 22 points as Clemson, which had lost five of its previous seven games, rebounded to beat Miami of Ohio.

Tulsa 81, Boston U. 52 Shea Seals became Tulsa's career scoring leader, scoring 17

points despite spending much of the second half on the bench. Minnesota 78, SW Texas St. 46 Minnesota opened the game with a 13-0 run and overpowered Southwest Texas State.

WEST NC-Charlotte 79, Georgetown 67 Sean Colson scored 24 points and North Carolina-Charlotte handled George-town's press with ease.

Utah 75, Navy 61 Keith Van Horn had 16 points and 11 rebounds as Utah won its 12th straight game. Van Horn passed Danny Ainge to become the WAC's career scoring leader

vs. Xavier, Ohio (23-5). (At Kemper Arena) Today: Tulsa vs. Clemson,

Minnesota vs. Temple.

WEST REGIONAL First Round

(The Huntsman Center, Salt Lake City)

Thursday's results: Boston College 73, Valparaiso 66; St. Joseph's 75, Pacific 65; Kentucky 92, Mootana 54; lowa 73, Virginia 60:

(The McKale Center, Tucson) Friday's results: North Carolioa-Charlotte 79, Georgetown 67; Utah 75, Navy 61; Wake Forest 68, St. Mary's, Calif. 46; Stanford 80, Oklahoma 67.

## Second Round

(At The Huntsman Center) Yesterday: Bostoo College (22-8) vs. St. Josepb's (25-6), Kentucky (31-4) vs. Iowa (22-9). (At The McKale Center) Today: Utah vs. N.C. Charlotte, Wake Forest vs. Stanford

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# France take grand slam

against Olympia Ljubljana.

England top Wales as Carling, Andrews hang up test boots

PARIS (Reuter) - France completed their first ever grand slam on home soil yesterday by crush-ing Scotland 47-20 in the last Five Nations' match at Parc des Princes.

France, who had won each of their four previous clean sweeps in the tournament on foreign territory, delighted their fans with two tries in each half of a one-sided

fight. The key to their comfortable victory was accurate goalkicking from center Christophe Lamaison, who scored 24 points.

The wio was particularly sweet for the French, who had beeo waiting for a grand slam for 10 years and were looking forward to a stylish conclusion to 24 years of adventure at Parc des Princes.

France moved ahead with a penalty by Lamaison after two minutes and stayed in front for the entire match despite brave attempts by the visitors.

Scotland kept trying but could manage only two tries by center Alan Tait and 10 points from fullback Rowen Shepherd. Tries to Abdel Beoazzi and

Laurent Leflamand helped France build a 26-13 lead before the teams changed ends.

Scotland were to suffer more punishment after the interval with a try by prop Franck Tournaire before a brilliant move in which all the backs touched the ball to let flanker Olivier Magne in for the final try.

### England 34, Wales 13

England gained the consolatioo of a Five Nations Triple Crown yesterday with a record 34-13 away win over Wales in the last rugby union international to be

played at Cardiff Arms Park. The English, who were aware that France had already put the title out of their reach, reacted

with four second-half tries to eclipse their previous best Cardiff

result of 25-6 in 1991; Tim Stimpson, Tony Underwood, Richard Hill and captain Pbil de Glanville ensured England equaled their bighest total against Wales to set up a perfect farewell for ex-skipper

Will Carling, almost certainly playing his final test, and Rob Andrew, who made a late appearance as a replacement.

It was a less bappy day for Jooathan Davies, definitely making his last appearance for Wales. He kicked two penalties and a conversion for the injury-hit Welsh in a muted farewell to the Arms Park, which is set to be redeveloped for the 1999 Rugby World Cup.

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Xavier McDaniel hit four free throws in the final 16 seconds and Michael Jordan shot an airball when the Bulls had a chance to tie as the New Jersey Nets stunned Chicago 99-98 Friday night. The win was the Nets' first over

a Jordan-led Bulls' team since 1991, a string of 16 games. New Jersey beat Chicago in 1994 when Jordan was playing baseball. Sam Cassell had 28 points and

12 assists and Jim Jackson added 20 as the Nets (19-44) posted only secure a home victory. their third win against a team with a plus-.500 record. Kendall Gill added 14 and McDaniel had nine of his 11 in the final 5:51.

Jordan had 36, including a York in the Atlantic Division. worthless 3-pointer at the buzzer. Scottie Pippen added 21 and Steve Kerr had 13. points and host Orlando overcame

Jazz 105, Pacers 96 its poor shooting in the fourth Karl Malone scored 19 of his 38 points in the third quarter as Utah

on the road.

quarter to snap Charlotte's sixgame winning streak. overcame a 10-point deficit to win The Magic missed 15 of 19 shots in the last period, but were Malone also had 11 rebounds, able to protect what was once a

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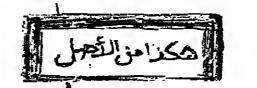
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McDaniel leads Nets past stunned Bulls EAST RUTHERFORD (AP) recording his 38th double-double 10-point lead by holding Charlotte contributed just 10 of Charlotte's 33 second-half points. The Allof the season. Antoine Carr to two points in the final three matched his season-high with 15

Reggie Miller scored 23 for

Glen Rice led the Homets with 39 points, but he didn't get much

Star forward was 17-for-25 from the field, but missed three of his last four attempts down the stretch.

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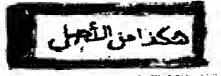
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SPORTS

# Betar Jerusalem's lead increases to 8 points

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Dror Kashtan's record at the club

now stands at three losses and four

draws from seven matches, with

just two goals to the team's credit,

Friday's crucial relegation battler

(Reuter)

between Zafririm Holon and Ironi

Manchester United stretched their

lead at the top of the English pre-

mier league to three points vester-

day with a 2-0 win over in-form

Sheffield Wednesday as Liverpool

were held 1-1 at lowly

Third-placed Arsenal drew level

with Liverpool on points thanks to

a 2-0 win at Southampton while

Newcastle warmed up for Europe

with a 4-0 thrashing of Coventry.

Were the only side in the bottom

Seven to manage a win - 3-1 at

Leicester - and Kevin Gallacher

claimed a bat trick as Blackburn

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one of its last 20 league games.

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fast-moving passing movements stretching the Forest defence but no

Forest leveled after half-an-hour following another mistake by

David James. The Liverpool keep-

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... Jason McAteer kept Liverpool

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By ORI LEWIS and DEREK FATTAL Rishon Lezion ended with the The stormy weather kept attenpoints shared. dances low for this weekend's 22nd Hapoel Ashkelon improved their round of National League action. lead at the top of the Second Nevertheless, as far as Betar Division to 11 points with a 1-0 Jerusalem are concerned the rains away victory over Hapoel Ashdod, fell like water off a duck's back. as second- and third-placed Ironi

After a poor first half, the leaguetoppers got their act together in the drizzle to end 3-1 winners over Bnei Yehuda Hapoel Perah Tikva, who still

Bnei Yebuda 1, Bet. Jerusalem 3 harbor hopes of chasing Betar down The league leaders began slowly to the finishing line, had their home and Bnei Yehuda had several good game against Maccabi Herzliya chances to score early on, but those postponed due to a waterlogged missed opportunities cost the hosts pitch. The match has been rescheddearly uled to be played on March 25, hut that will do little to raise the spirits Eli Ohana put the ball in the net on the stroke of half time, hut he of the Petah Tikva fans who were was adjudged off side. That was a significantly dampened as Hapoel hint of the change which was to Beersheba pushed their team out of take place in the second half.

second place, with a 1-0 away vic-Itzik Zohar stepped up to take a tory over Maccahi Haifa. penalty and set the Betar locomo-The southerners on 47 points now tive rolling on 55 minutes with a have a two point advantage over well-taken shot after Stefan Saloi Petah Tikva, but remain eight points had been fouled by Bnei Yehuda 'keeper Liran Strauber, adrift of Betar. Hapoel Taiba had the stuffing

Ten minutes later, Saloi himself knocked out of them with a 5-1 added a second goal for Betar. drubbing at the hands of a merciless Bnei Yehuda were not going to Maccabi Tel Aviv. Rifat Turk looks give up, however, and two minutes later, Alon Mizrahi reduced the to have no realistic prospect whatarrears with another penalty after soever of saving the Arab sector's side from falling straight back in to Ofer Levy had been fouled in the Division Two. The Taibans have Betar box. collected a mere ten points from a

But Bnei Yeuhda's hopes of at least gaining a draw were snuffed out almost immediately when Istvan Pishont scored for Betar within a minute of Mizrahi's penal-

Hap. Taiba 1, Mac. Tel Aviv 5 Maccahi had a field day in Kfar Sava against the weakest side in the

league yesterday. Nir Klinger with two goals (14th minute header, and 37) Noam Shoham from a 20 meter free kick on 18 minutes, and Eli Driks with a

penalty in the 47th minute after Ofer Mizrahi had been fouled by Taiba goalkeeper Akaki Divadze, provided the goals for the outgoing league champions.

Taiba got a consolation effort five minutes from the end through Rifat Ashdod and Maccabi Netanya both Uda. It was their first addition to the suffered losses. Hapoel Hadera's "goals for" column in six matches. match against Berar Tel Aviv was Mac. Haifa 0, Hap. Beersheba 1 Maccabi Haifa's miserable run continues, as the cluh has clearly failed to regroup following the departure of Haim Revivo and Eyai Berkowitz.

Yesterday it was Hapoel Beersheba's turn to inflict more misery on the "greens" when Liron Bassis assisted a Siad Halilovic shot into Nir Davidovich's net. Haifa tried in vain to equalize, but Beersheba defended stoutly in the elosing stages of the match and

used the offside trap effectively several times. Hap. PT v. Mac. Herzliya postponed (waterlogged pitch) Following yesterday's heavy rains, referee Haim Yaacov decided at 2:15, 45 minutes before kickoff, that the ground at Petah Tikva's municipal stadium was unfit for

The match has been rescheduled for March 25 as it cannot be played on Tuesday, as is customary, because on that day both sides will be involved in State Cup last-16 round fixtures

Zafririm Holon 1, Ironi Rishon 1 A rough game on Friday saw ref-eree Amit Klein dish out seven yellow cards.

Nir Shikva took full advantage of a mixup in the Holon area with only six minutes gone, and stabbed the ball into the net, to give the visitors an advantage which lasted well for the whole of the first half.

Zafririm Holon Oren Nisaim, 67 Hapoel Jerusalem Yaniv Avrahami, 47 Hapoel tel Aviv Hapoel Klar Sava Maccabi Halta

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Bnei Yehuda Alon Mizrahi, 87 (pen.)

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Substitute Oren Nissim struck in

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the back of the net against a Petah Tikva side that for some reason eemed content with a draw.

fered the pain of seeing an attempt slam against the crossbar in the first half, while his colleague Nissim Avitan brought the very best ont of Petah Tikva goalkeeper Golan Mahul in the 37th minute.

Malul produced another matchsaving moment six minutes from the end to deny Hapoel's Victor Moskal.

Hap. J'lem 1, Hap. Beit She'an 1 The visitors proved stuhborn opposition for the Jerusalemites

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Ian Marshall got a consolation for the home side who will hope things turn out differently when the clubs meet again in the League

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Cup final on April 6. Juninho, who was at his hrilliant best in the first half, said: "I can't understand why we're-bottom. We're playing very well." Gallacher made it five goals in two games for Blackburn in their 3-1 win over weary Wimbledon, for whom Efan Ekoku was on target. Everton claimed just their second win in 13 games as Dave Watson's late goal was enough to overcome Derby at Goodison Park.

And in another mid-table battle. Tottenham edged Leeds by the same score courtesy of Darren Anderton's first-half strike. The day's other game between Aston Villa and visiting West Ham ended goalless. Chelsea are at home to Sunderland today. -PREMUER LEAGUE: Aston Villa 0, West Ham 0; Blackburn 3, Wimbledon 1; Everion 1, Derby 0; Leicester 1, Middlesbrough 3; Manchester United 2, Sheffield Wednesday 0; Newcastle 4, Coventry 0; Notingham Forest 1, Liverpool 1: So ton 0, Arsenal 2; T eds 0.

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scoring opportunities arose. Hap. Kfar Sava 0, Hap. Haifa 0 A very weak game played at an almost leisurely pace produced the correct result, much to the chagrin of all who were present at Kfar Sava's ground on Friday. Hap. Tel Aviv 0, Mac. PT 0 New manager Guy Levy obvi-Happel fans left Bloomfield in Man Utd stretch lead with 2-0 win over Wednesday

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> FEARLESS DEFENDING - Manchester United's Ole Gunnar Solskjaer fires a shot from close range directly to the legs of Sheffield Wednesday 'keeper Kevin Pressman at Old Trafford yesterday. (AP)

in it hy heading a Steve Chettle trouble - hut talk's cheap." effort off the line in the second half and Forest general manager Dave Bassett was pleased with the comeback. "In the second half I thought we

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Newcastle face a tough UEFA Arsenal went ahead with a gift Cup quarter-final second leg in goal as Southampton keeper Mark Monaco on Tuesday hut will trav-Taylor dropped the ball at the feet el in confident mood after thumpof Steve Hughes who gratefully ing Coventry. tapped in his first league goal for First-half goals by Steve Watson

and Robert Lee set the course and Paul Shaw settled it for the injury-Peter Beardsley with a penalty and Robbie Elliot completed the victory.

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Coventry had Brian Borrows sent off in the 71 st minute and are, yet again, facing a tough fight to avoid the drop.

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It ain't over yet for Gordie Howe

SYRACUSE (AP) - Ice hockey Hall of Famer Gordie Howe, hoping to play hockey in a sixth decade, will try out for the minor league Syraeuse Crunch, the American Hockey League team

Howe, who retired from the NHL in 1980 at the age of 52, will spend the next two weeks training and hopes to play for the Crunch against the Carolina Monarchs on April 1. the day after his 69th birthday. "Howe scored a record 1,071

goals and 2,589 points in 32 professional seasons, first with the Detroit Red Wings in the NHL and then with the Houston Acros of the World Hockey Association and Hartford Whalers in the WHA and NHL. This is the 50th anniversary sea-

son of Howe's first pro contract, signed with Detroit in 1946-47. He joined the Red Wings as a teenager and never played minor league hockey. The Crunch are the top minor league affiliate of the Vancouver Canucks.

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WALL STREET REPORT Stocks up on

> 65.43 points. In the broader market, gainers outpaced losers by 1,408 to 1,028 on volume of 486.9 million shares on the New York Stock Exchange. The recovery began as early news of a surprisingly big drop in wholesale prices in February helped eased concerns that the

Federal Reserve would raise rates in a bid to ward off inflation. The Producer Price Index fell 0.4 percent in February, a bigger drop than economists had forecast. and the core rate excluding volatile food and energy prices fell 0.1%, instead of rising 0.1% as

The report cast doubt on forecasts that the Fed, the natioo's central bank, will raise rates at its policy-making meeting on March The inflation-wary bond market

welcomed the news. The bencbmark 30-year Treasury rose 6/32, or \$1.875 on a \$1,000 bond, reducing the yield to 6.94% from 6.96% at Thursday's close. Despite the report, analysts said

the Fed's next move on rates was an open question, ooting Fed Chairman Alan Greenspan in

recent commeots focused on the need to quash future rather than current inflation risks.

But the severity of Thursday's sell-off, analysts said, meant the stock market had room to advance even without a clear green light on the interest rate front.

That sell-off was triggered by an uoexpected surge in US retail sales.

While the rise suggested a surprisingly robust economy, analysts said the market's reaction was overblown.

"The data we saw yesterday dido't warrant a 160-point drop," said Philip Orlando, chief investmeot officer at Valoe Line Asset Management. "But a lot of that may have been people anticipating a sloppy PPI and we certainly didn't get that." With the Fed meeting still more than a week away, analysts said the market was likely to remain volatile.

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"Any sign of economic weakness will be taken as a temporary reason to rally," said Charles White, managing director at Avatar Associates. "But it's all going to come down to what bappens on the 25th."

Turbulence ahead as markets await Fed meeting

NEW YORK (Reuter) - Wall Street is in for another turbulent week as nervous investors try to gauge whether the Federal Reserve will raise interest rates this month.

The Fed's policy-making Federal Open Market Committee is to meet on March 25, and market players have been struggling to gain insight into Fed Cheirman Alan Greenspan's thinking. Adding to the volatile mix is the fact the Friday will see the "triple witching" expiration of S&P futures, stock options and index

options, which traditionally makes for volatile trading. Four components will be dropped from the Dow Jones industrial average as of tomorrow and be replaced by four stocks which are, stocks. Bonds edged higher but mostly remained moribund in the face of data that should have sparked a strong rally.

Data oext week will be no less. closely watched. The Consumer Price Index is due on Wednesday and the Philadelphia Federal Reserve survey is expected on Thursday.

People will try to get an indication from these numbers whether Greenspan will raise rates," said Bill Meeban, analyst at Prudential Securities.

"He wants to do it. He has to counterbalance that desire with the poteotial political ramifications of raising rates without evidence that we have a clear inflation problem."

Michael Metz, chief investment trategist at Oppenheimer & Co. believes that recent data overall

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# Dollar down after tame inflation casts doubt on rate hike

NEW YORK, - The dollar fell against the German mark and was barely changed versus the Japanese yen on Friday after a surprisingly tame inflation report prompted doubts that the Federal Reserve will soon raise interest rates and traders took profits ahead of the weekend. A Labor Department report showed the producer price index, a key barometer of inflationary pressures, declined in February by a greater amount than most Wall

Street economists had expected. Furthermore, the core index, which excludes volatile food and energy items, unexpectedly edged lower. Market participants seemed to pay

more attention to the inflation news rather than a Fed report on industrial production and capacity utilization that showed the manufacturing sector remains in good shape.

Fed policy makers meet on March 25 to decide whether they need to tighten credit to keep price pressures

in check. The benign inflation data released on Friday seemed to indicate a rate hike may not be neces-

Higher rates typically help the dollar by making deposits denominated in that currency more attractive to foreign investors. Fading hopes for a rate increase, however, eighed on the dollar on Friday. The dollar traded as high as 1.71

marks and 124.11 yen on Friday. Traders said the mark's sharp gains

against the Japanese currency also helped the dollar to rise versus the

Purchases of marks for ven are often funnelled through the dollar. In late trade on Friday, the dollar fetched 1.6952 marks, down from 1.7047 marks on Thursday. The dol-

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lar cost 123.45 yen, up slightly from 123.34 yen. The dollar fell to 1.4555 Swiss francs from 1.4650 francs. The British pound rose to \$1.6007 from \$1.5973

Wall Street's rise lifts Europe

"We could have a pretty wild week. With triple-witching and such a wide divergence of opinions as to what the Fed will do, we could see some pretty big swings," said Roy Blumberg, chief investment strategist at Josephthal Lyon & Ross.

"Some people say that they are absolutely certain the Fed will tighten rates, others say that there is no justification for that to be found in the data." Last week, the market responded to data on a day-to-day basis.

Thursday, the Dow tumbled 160.48 points, or 2.28 percent, to 6,878.89 on strooger-than-forecast February retail sales

Friday, a drop in February producer prices, and industrial production and capacity use figures pointing to tame inflation, seot the average up 56.57 points, or 0.82%, to close at 6,935.46. For the week, it fell 65.43 points. But analysts generally agreed

impressive and for the most part was led by a narrow group of

### point to an economy growing faster that Greenspan would like. "A rate hike would be the first of several moves which would dampen economic growth, raise interest expenses for companies

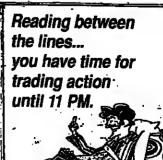
and produce earnings disappointments as the year progresses. Tactical asset allocators are starting to think that bonds are better than stocks. You may see money flows going to the bond market at the expense of equities."

For the first time in six years, the Dow average of 30 blue-chip stocks will get new members and lose old ones.

Travelers Group Inc., Hewlett-Packard Co., Johnson & Johnson and Wal-Mart Stores Inc. will replace Westinghouse Electric Corp., Texaco Inc., Bethlehem-Steel Corp. and Woolworth Corp. Analysts said dropping Westinghouse, Bethlehem Steel and Woolworth in favor of highthat Friday's recovery was oot er-priced stocks would add as much as 20% of volatility to the average.

# WORLD MARKET ROUNDUP

LONDON - The UK's leading FTSE 100 share index ended on a stronger note, tracking Wall Street higher after the latest US inflation figures eased fears of a near-term US interest rate hike. The blue chip index, which spent most of the session struggling in negative territory, cleared the 4.400 hurdle late in the session and ended 26.6 points higher at 4,424.3, rising four points from Friday week.





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FRANKFURT German sbares reverse course to close. bourse trade higher, with buying interest still alive on the domestic side, but volumes modest and market eyeing US data. The DAX index closed up 9.48 points at 3,359.29, down 60.22 from last week. In post-bourse trade the DAX index\_stood\_at 3.404.29.

PARIS - French stocks closed higher on a sharper than, expected fall in US producer prices that quelled fears of an imminent rise in US interest rates. The bluechip CAC-40 index finished up 13.52 poiots or 0.51% to 2,645.62, dowo 62.66 from last Friday.

ZURICH - Swiss shares ended firmer and near the day's high after storming back from a slide of nearly 100 points.

"It was the biggest counter-move I have ever seen," one trader said, adding that better-thanexpected US data and a recovery on Wall Street were instrumental in the late rise. The All-share Swiss Performance Index (SPI) was up 12.27 points, or 0.42% at 2,934.97, a drop of 3.47 from the seventh of March.



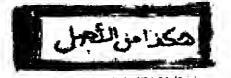
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the early '60s - in other words, from a series of

of the '50s has about it a darkly playful look and quick-skit sense of humor. The storylice - which charts the invasion of the earth by a fleet of Martian spaceships - is reminiscent of last year's Independence Day, but Burton's visual trickery is much quirkicr and more ecceptric than anything the masterminds of ID evcr dreamed up. Both in terms of spoken punchlines and traditional narrative, Jonathan Gem's script is a bit weak, although it helps to keep in mind that he and Burtoo drew their initial inspiration for the film from a rare set of Topps trading cards from

bright, static pictures. The film makes less sense as a oeatly ordered linear tale than it does as a group of wildly fanciful, less-than-sensical camp tableaux. (English dialogue, Hebrew subtitles.



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15:00 Mozart: Symphony no 39: Alban Berg: Violin concerto 16:00 Music for Sunday – Antonio Caldara: Mary Magdalene at the Feet of Jesus oratorio 18:00 New CDs -Chopin: Sonata no 3 in B minor for plano; Schubert: Der häusliche Krieg opera 20:05 From Our Concert Halls - live from Tel Aviv Museum. from Tel Aviv Museum. Tel Aviv Philharmonic Choir, cond. Aharon Harlap; Init Rob-Levi (banitone), Dan Ettinger (banitone), Ram Oren (trumpet). Special con-cert of works by Yeheztel Braum 23:00 Sourcis to End 23:00 Sounds to End the Day

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# Prisoners of Zion to be commended

Former Prisoners of Zion, and those who were killed due to their Zionist activities, will be honored in a ceremony at the Knesset today. Some 150 Prisoners of Zion from several countries will be presented with medals and certificates of appreciation at the ceremony.

# Report: Deri plans to leave political life

Shas leader Arych Deri bas been making plans to leave political life after the investigation into the Bar-On Affair is completed, but has received a letter from kabbalist Rabbi Yitzhak Kadourie begging him to not do so, Channel 2 reported on Friday night.

In the letter, the contents of which were revealed on the channel's Friday Studio program, Kadourie writes he had heard of Deri's intentions to retire as head of Shas and pursue Torah study and business projects.

"You cannot do these things," the report quoted Kadourie as saying. "I call loudly on [you], Rabbi Deri, in fact, I command you, to retract this [decision]." ltim

### 1 killed, 9 injured on roads

A man was killed and nine people were injured, one seriously, in road accidents over the weekend.

A 77-year-old man suffered beart failure while he was driving in Petah Tikva and bis car hit three other cars. He was declared dead at Sharon Hospital. Another man was seriously injured in a collision in Kfar Sava on Friday night. Eight soldiers were lightly injured when the truck they were riding in skidded on a wet road and overturned Friday afternoon betweeo Moaz and Carmel in the south Hebron hills.

## Heavy snow falls on Mt. Hermon

Heavy snow fell on Mt. Hermon over the weekend, adding another layer of white to the slopes of the ski site, as mid-March rains and occasional thunderstorms swept other parts of the country. Staff at the ski site said another 20 cm. of snow had accumulated on the mountain, raising hopes that it will be able to remain open for skiing until Purim and perhaps even later.

The weather bureau reported that more snow is likely on the northem peak, with rain, accompanied by strong winds and some thunderstorms, in other parts of the country in the coming days. The cold, wet front is expected to last through Wednesday. David Rudge

## Winning Cards

The winning cards in Friday's Mifal Hapayis Chance draw were the seven of spades, 10 of hearts, jack of diamonds and king of clubs.

# Conference addresses Diaspora-Israel relationship

### By URIEL HEILMAN

betweeo Israel and the Diaspora by his colleagues, executive director of the Peres Institute for

"We also have a problem of Responding to the criticism Jewish identity," he proclaimed, beaped upon current relations noting that despite his being a secular Jew, he believed that the key to rectifying the relationship between Israel and the Diaspora

# **Uproar over Dotan's** early release from prison

#### By ARIEH O'SULLIVAN

The Movement for Ouality Government is demanding a reversal of last Thursday's decision to release Rami Dotan, a former senior IAF procurement officer who embezzled millions of dollars, after he has served only half his sentence, saying his release would demonstrate that not all are equal under the law.

A military committee decided to release the former brigadier-gen-

Hadash protests policies in Nazareth

## By DAVID RUDGE

More than 1,500 people marched through Nazareth's main street yesterday in a demonstration organized by the Democratic Front for Peace and Equality (Hadash) to protest the government's policies and to "save the peace process."

The demonstration followed the decision by Israeli-Arab leaders at the end of last week to call a general strike of the entire Arab sector on Land Day (March 30) to protest the government's "settlement policies." The parade in Nazareth yesterday, which was licensed by police, passed peacefully and was followed a rally at the city's Friendship House with the participation of Hadash MKs and local council heads. Towards the end, however, several bottles were thrown at police on duty in the area. There were no injuries. Police later detained a teenager on suspicion of being involved in the incident.

The decision to call a general strike on Land Day was taken at a meeting, in Rahat in the Negev last Thursday, of the Israeli-Arab leadership's monitoring committee, com-posed of the 53 Arab council heads, MKs and leading public figures. It will be the first time in many

years that Land Day will be marked by a general strike and rallies instead of picnics and a holiday-like atmosphere.

"The decision was taken in light of everything that has happened recently and as a form of protest against the government's policies,"

eral on April 21, even though he will have served only half his 13-General Electric for jet engine improvement work in Israel. year sentence. The committee Dotan took some \$10 million in an affair that rocked the air force and cited Dotan's poor health as the main factor in the decision. defense industries. Dotan was sentenced by a mili-The committee did put restrictary court and demoted to private tions on Dotan as a condition of in 1991 after being convicted, his release: Dotan must keep

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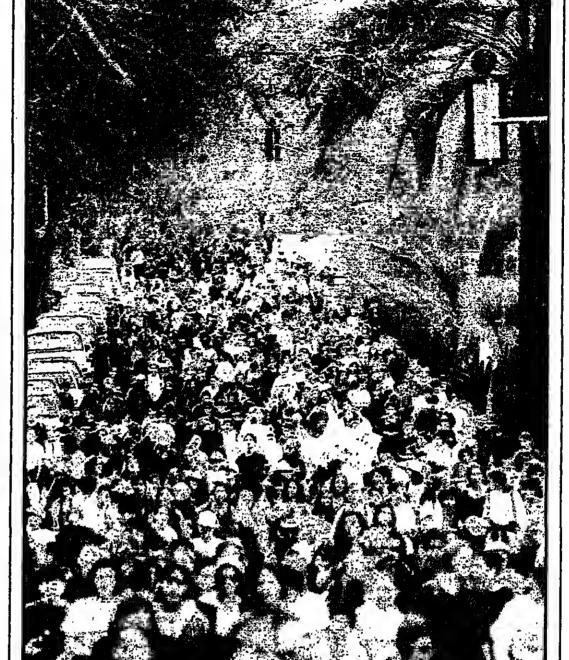
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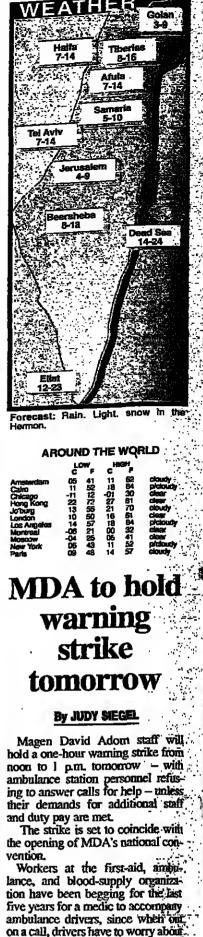
he may remember, and is forbidden to travel abroad. The Movement for Quality

Government has sent letters to IDF Judge Advocate-General

Brig.-Gen. Uri Shoham and Attorney-General Elyakim Rubinstein, demanding that the decision be reversed.

"This is setting a grave prece-dent that not only abrogates the principle that all are equal in the eyes of the law, but also does little to deter white-collar crime," said Dorit Basman, spokesman for the movement. "If our letters are not given the proper consideration then we may turn to the High Court of Justice."





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Peace Uri Savir asserted last week that "secular American Jews have more connection with their tradition than the Jews of Israel

Savir was speaking at the twoday 1997 Annual Conference on Public Administratioo, which brought together a variety of public officials to discuss issues of import to the Israeli community, among them the changing face of Israel-Diaspora relations.

Savir said that bis Jewish identity developed from his relationship with Diaspora Jews.

They may not be very interested in Israeli society," he said referriog to his Diaspora counterparts, "but we have even less interest in what is going on

is "to involve ourselves, as Israelis, more in our Jewish identity... so we can be able to share a common connection with Diaspora Jewry."

Speakiog before him. Immigration and Absorption Minister Yuli Edelstein stressed the importance of building a partnership between Israel and the Diaspora in light of the declining significance of Jewish tradition and oationalism among the world's Jews.

"We need to find a new model for working together." he said. The problems that bother us are not necessarily the problems that bother the Diaspora. We have to find our common interests ... academic, professional or Jewish."

said Hussein Suleiman, spokesma for the forum of Arab Council Heads.

It also was decided at the meeting to hold rallies and ceremonies in the Negev and in Galilee on Land Day, which marks the 21st anniversary of the first demonstrations in 1976 to protest against the expropriation of Arab-owned land. The protests on that occasion erupted into violent clashes with the security forces in which six Arabs were killed and dozens of demonstrators and police were injured.

Suleiman, who is also head of Mash had local council near Nazareth, said the decision to call a general strike was in protest over the government's decision to build on Har Homa, as well as "continuing excavations under al-Aksa and the



## The last lap?

Runners in the Tel Aviv [half] Marathon clog the city's streets Friday. After the race Mayor Ronni Milo told organizers there would be no more marathons in Tel Aviv, due to the economic damage and nuisance it causes the city and its residents. The mayor offered to help the organizers move the marathon elsewbere. Story, Page 8. (Isract Sun) and Rescue Service workers do? receive this additional pay. Health' Minister Yehoshua Marza said late. last week that he would bring together officials from the two ministries to discuss the crisis tomorrow morning, before the warning strike.

If the strike takes place, those, needing emergency help will have to find another way to reach the hospital or an ambulance station during that hour.

# **New Yorkers lament Kiryat Yam mayor** not suitable for post

### By MARILYN HENRY

NEW YORK - New York, which only reluctantly conceded that Israel - not the Big Apple -may be the center of the Jewish world, had been put off by Jerusalem's delay in appointing a new consul-general and now seems offended by the candidate who was finally named.

"Is it too much to ask for Israeli representatives here who can speak fluent English and whose credentials extend further than a political friendship with David Levy?," Gary Rosenblatt, editor and publisher of The New York Jewish Week, wrote in Friday's edition.

Roseoblatt's column was the first significant, public reaction to the word that Sbmuel Siso of Kiryat Yam would replace Colette Avital at the consulate in New York.

Siso, for New Yorkers, is the unknown mayor of a town that most could not locate on the map. He is also the choice of Foreign Minister Levy, who himself is a virtual mystery man in the American Jewish community

As the media, cultural, financial, and Jewish capital of the US, New York reckoned itself to be a post that the Diaspora-

savvy Prime Minister Binyamio Netanyahu would fill quickly with an envoy brimming with prestige, polish, and panache. New Yorkers were accustomed to the likes of Uri Savir, and -even Avital, who has been feted in a months-long series of "farewell tributes" that overlook her often-acrimonious relationship with the anti-Oslo camp.

Rosenblatt's column, titled "Missing Colette Already," frets that the choice of the Moroccanborn Siso may indicate Netanyahu's interest in improving Diaspora relations is only lip service.

But he also alludes to a "hint of racism," reflecting an undercurrent here implying that Sephardim cannot represent Israel as well as Ashkenazim. Rosenblatt also suggests that

Israel is being harmed by the lack of a forceful Israeli voice in the US.'

Eliahu Ben-Elissar, the envoy to the US, "is not taken seriously by top Washington officials, in part because he is given to expressing his bawkisb political Rosenblatt writes. views." adding there is "no one to counter the anti-Israel rbetoric of visiting Arab leaders like Yasser Arafat and Hosni Mubarak."



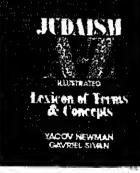


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